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Poetical.

ENFOLDINGS.

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The avalanche suddenly rushing with darkness and death to the hamlet.

The ray stealing in through the lattice to waken the day loving baby;
The pitiless horror of light in the sun-smitten reach of the desert.

The seed with its pregnant surprise of welcome young leaflet and blossom;
The dispair of the wilderness tangle, and treacherous thicket of forest.

The happy west wind as it startles some noon-laden flower from its dreaming;
The hurricane crashing its way through the homes and life of the valley.

The play of the jetlets of flame when the children laugh out on the hearth-stone;
The town or the prairie consumed in a terrible big combustion

The glide of a wave on the sands with its myriad sparkle in breaking;
The roar and the fury of ocean, a limitless maelstrom of ruin.

The leaping of heart unto heart with bliss that can never be spoken;
The passion that maddens, and shows how God may be thrust from His creatures.

For this do I tremble and start when the rose in the vine taps my shoulder—
For this when the storm beats me down my soul's growth bolder and bolder.

—*Mary Mapes Dodge, in The Century Magazine for November.*

Select Story.

THE BLACK BAGS.

A JEWELER'S STORY.

CHAPTER I.

MY JOURNEY.

It was on the 29th of October, 1859, that I was returning to England, having taken the steamer at Dublin for Holyhead. Business had taken me to Ireland—I am a jeweler—and it had been necessary for me to visit a branch of my own firm in Dublin. I was bringing back certain valuable jewels which required resetting—diamonds of great value and some other things of less importance, but still valuable.

I found all the passengers talking on one subject—the terrible and appalling wreck which had occurred only three days before off Moelfra, on the Anglesea coast. No less than four hundred and forty-six lives were lost that night when the Royal Charter was totally wrecked. She was a screw steamer, commanded by Captain Taylor. A large sum of money—£700,000 or £800,000 in gold—was lost also, it was supposed; but I have since heard that some of the gold was recovered. I am a silent man habitually, and the awe in the voices of my fellow passengers struck me forcibly; but I had another reason, as will presently appear, in remembering my journey from Dublin to London on this occasion.

I carried the jewels which I have already mentioned in a small black hand-bag, and so long as I knew that it was safe, I was free from care. Arriving at Hollyhead, I took my seat in an empty first-class railway carriage. Just as the train was moving off, however, a gentleman suddenly got in. He sat down nearly opposite me, so I had a good opportunity of observing his appearance. I noticed that he was young, apparently not more than four and twenty, that he had a broad black band round his hat, and that on his face were traces of recent sorrow, almost in fact of agitation. He seemed relieved at having caught the train, and being like myself quite disinclined for conversation, our journey proceeded in silence.

My bag lay beside me, and under my eyes. I was tired after my crossing, and fell into a sort of doze. On waking, I instantly glanced at my bag. There it lay, quite safe. My companion, however, had moved his seat. We stopped at Chester, and here I thought I would get out and walk about a little, as we had ten minutes to wait. I took my bag and got out. On my return to the train there was my companion apparently asleep. I got into the carriage without disturbing him, and we continued our journey.

At Crewe, our next stopping place, he got out, and did not come back. I was very tired now, and fell into a sound sleep with my hand holding the handle of my black bag. I did not wake until we reached London; then getting into the first handsom I saw, and still carrying my precious bag, of which I was heartily tired, I drove home. On my arrival, with a method which I suppose is habitual to a man in my trade, I instantly went to the safe in which I keep valuable jewelry, unlocked it, and, depositing the bag on a table, I opened it. Imagine my dismay at finding that, instead of diamonds, it contained only some rusty bits of iron and wooden debris. My bag was gone; this other bag had been cleverly substituted for it, so cleverly, indeed, that even the weight as well as the appearance had been judged.

I put the affair into the hands of the police, giving them exactly every particular as I have here written it. The bag was lost.

CHAPTER II.

MY SEARCH

A year after the events narrated in the last chapter, I was again traveling on the line which takes passengers to Holyhead. It was the beginning of October as well as I remember.

I traveled first-class, my usual custom when I have a long journey before me. During the year not a sign had been given of my missing bag or the jewels, but I had not really despaired yet of recovering it and them, for I had a certain unaccountable feeling about the whole thing; that there was some mystery about it I felt sure

Regularly every Wednesday in every week I had called at Scotland Yard, and had always had the same answer, "Nothing yet, stir." The reward I had offered was sufficient to insure a certain interest, and the police, I firmly believe, were as keen in the matter as I could wish.

On this October morning in 1860, I traveled with a lady who was in deep mourning. The day was chilly, and she wore several wraps, but getting warm in the carriage, she presently threw aside a fur cloak she was wearing, and my eye was instantly attracted by a handsome brooch she had on, in which was a portrait.

Without appearing to do so, and with a sudden feeling of interest and curiosity for which I cannot account, I managed to get a nearer view of the portrait. It was the face of the young man who had traveled with me the year before when I had lost my bag. I was so certain of this that I resolved not to continue my journey until I had acquainted the police with this fact.

The train stopped at Crewe, the place where I remembered the young man had left the train on our up journey the previous year. Here the lady alighted—I did also. A carriage awaited her at the station—I secured a fly, and directing the driver to follow the carriage, I discovered where the lady drove to. Her own house evidently. She appeared to be in excellent position, and to be wealthy.

I was not deterred by this discovery, for I felt I could not be mistaken about a face which, though I had certainly noticed it only in a casual way at the time, had nevertheless been stamped upon my mind, and connected in such a manner with the loss to me of several thousands of pounds.

I went to the police station, told them what I had seen and what my suspicions were. They listened attentively to what I said, and then told me that I must be mistaken; that the lady in question was well known, the widow of an officer who had died just after coming into a large property in the country in the county. She had two sons. One had been in the navy, and had lost his life in the wreck of the Royal Charter about a year previously. The other was expected home every day, and had been away almost ever since the end of last October.

It was impossible, they said, to make inquiries in such a direction. Ill-satisfied and disappointed, I found myself compelled to leave matters as they were; but on my return to London I wrote to the head of the police once more, and reiterated my convictions so forcibly that he evidently was impressed by what I said. The result of my letter came, after a brief acknowledgment from the inspector, in the visit of a gentleman four days afterward.

CHAPTER III.

THE DISCOVERY.

I was standing in my shop; it was a dull morning in November, and the visitor who came in first spoke to my assistant, who referred him to me, and then in a moment I recognized my fellow passenger. Not wishing to make everything quite public, I led the way to the inner room I reserved for myself and handed the gentleman a chair. He was too excited to sit down, but began his story at once.

"You remember the day I traveled with you from Holyhead, sir?"

"Perfectly," I replied. "I have too good reason to remember it."

"So have I. I had been on the Anglesea coast all the night before, searching for some relic—perhaps the body—of my drowned brother. I had only twenty-four hours, and was obliged to hurry back, with only a few bits of wood and iron gathered from the wreckage which strewed the beach. These I put into a small, black bag.

"A black bag?" said I. "Had you a black bag, too?"

"Listen," said the gentleman. "I saw that you had one, and I remarked that it was like mine—so much that at Chester, where you got out and I did not, you may remember you took my bag with you instead of your own. I felt sure you were coming back, for you had left your coat and umbrella in the carriage, so I did not follow you."

"Yes," said I, getting excited, "but that does not account—"

"Wait a moment," said the gentleman. "I know perfectly what you would say. It does not account for my not advertising your bag, or making some sort of sign all this time—quite so—you will understand presently how it has happened."

I sat down and begged him to do the same

When I got out at Crewe, I took, as I supposed my bag. When I reached home I found that my poor mother, whom I had left in most utter grief and prostration at my brother's death, had not rallied at all; I told our doctor, who was there, that my search for any personal relic of my brother had been fruitless, but that I had a few bits of iron and wood from the wreck.

The doctor advised me to say nothing to her about it, not to tell her even that I had these sad relics. I put the bag just as it was in a cupboard in my own room and locked it up. That very day I had to leave England. I had a business engagement which took me to Australia. If I had broken my engagement it would have involved my mother in considerable pecuniary loss. She knew I had to go, and as she did not like me to stay, as my sister and her husband were with her and could take care of her, I left the house that very day, and journeyed back north to Liverpool, just in time to catch the steamer bound for Melbourne.

"I only returned yesterday morning. The first thing I heard after greeting my mother was:

"'Where is the bag you brought with you from Moelfra?'

"'In my room,' I said.

"'Get it for me,' she said.

"Without another word, though I wondered how she had heard of it, I went to my room, unlocked the cupboard, found the bag just as I had left it, and took it down stairs.

"I was just going to open it when, to my still further surprise, my mother said:

"'Are you quite sure that is your bag, Arthur?'

"I looked at her in astonishment.

"'Well, mother,' I said, 'I am as sure as a human being can be of anything.'

"'Did you open it after you came home dear?'"

"I thought for a moment, and then said:

"'No; I am certain I did not. I could not bear it.'"

"'Then,' said my mother, 'be prepared for a surprise. I think you will find that you have some one else's bag.'

"I did not answer, for I was trying to unlock the bag.

"It is very odd,' I said; 'the key won't open it.'

"'My mother rang the bell, and in walked the inspector."

Here my visitor ceased speaking, and walking hastily to the shop door he beckoned to some person seated in a hand some cab close by. It was my friend the Inspector of Police at Crewe. He continued the story. But first he placed on the table my "black bag."

"There, sir," said he, "is your bag—you were quite right—this gentleman took it by mistake. That morning, when Mrs —— sent for me, I found the bag unopened. I forced the lock and found your name inside the bag. The contents are intact, as you will see."

I opened my safe, and before I would allow them to open my bag I took this from the shelf, and, placing it beside my own, we all three saw that in size, make, indeed in weight they exactly resembled each other.

Although I felt that I had really made the discovery myself, I cheerfully paid the inspector the check he deserved for the clever and prompt manner in which he must have conveyed my suspicion, a decidedly awkard one, to Mrs, ——.

President Buchanan and Secession.

HOW HE REBUKED THE EDITOR OF HIS SUPPOSED ORGAN.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE SUN—*Sir:* In the correspondence published by Mr. Horatio King in the December number of *The Century*, it appears that in November, 1860, he called the attention of President Buchanan to the secession tendencies of *The Constitution*, a paper published at that time in Washington, and popularly supposed to be Mr. Buchanan's organ. For this supposition I do not know that there was any foundation, except that the paper enjoyed some of the advertising patronage of the Government. It might be inferred from Mr. King's letters to his correspondent that he spoke to the President repeatedly about this paper, and that the President did nothing. Mr. King does not appear to have known that the President rebuked the editor for his course in regard to secession. I have in my possession, on President Buchanan's files, a copy of his letter to the editor of *The Constitution*, written after that paper had taken ground against the President on the subject of secession:

[Private.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25, 1860.

MY DEAR SIR: I have read with deep mortification your editorial this morning, in which you take open ground against my message on the right of secession. I have defended you as long as I can against numerous complaints. You have a perfect right to be in favor of secession, and for this I have no just reason to complain. The difficulty is that the *Constitution* is considered my organ, and its articles subject me to the charge of insincerity and double dealing. I am deeply sorry to say that I must in some authentic form declare that the *Constitution* is not the organ of the Administration. Your friend, very respectfully,

JAMES BUCHANAN.

WILLIAM M. BROWNE, ESQ.

In the multiplicity of matters of the gravest concern which, in the month of November, 1860, demanded the President's attention—of which, as well as of all his conduct down to the 4th of March, 1861, I expect ere long to give the public a full account—he may have not done everything that his anxious friends desired, before his annual message of December 3, 1860, to relieve their minds of the apprehension that his Administration was suffering injury from this newspaper and other similar signs that it harbored secessionists among its officers or the objects of its patronage. But I take it upon me to affirm, after the most thorough study of Mr. Buchanan's course and a full examination of the very abundant materials contained in his private papers, that from the time of Mr. Lincoln's election, when the secession of South Carolina was first threatened, down to the day of Mr. Lincoln's inauguration, Mr. Buchanan never did an important act which any patriot or any friend of his would now wish that he had not done, or refrained from doing an important act that any patriot or friend of his would, upon close consideration of the facts, say that he ought to have performed.

There is not a more remarkable instance in all history of the misconception and misrepresentation with which a great public man may be pursued than this case of Mr. Buchanan. It is somewhat encouraging that the revelations recently made by the surviving members of his Cabinet, Messrs. Black, Holt, Thompson and King, have tended to show the people of this country how mistaken many of them have been in regard to him. But it must be remembered that Gen. Dix and Mr. Stanton are no longer living. From them and from Mr. Holt, will come in due time the most indubitable proofs, put on record immediately after the close of his administration and when facts were recent, that their authority is not to be used to disparage any part of his conduct, his consistency, his firmness, his fidelity to the Constitution and the Union, the wisdom of his measures, and the propriety of his acts. The time has come with Mr. Buchanan himself, when the truth as it is should have a hearing; and although I do not mean, in writing his life and times, to constitute myself his special eulogist, I intend that he and his cause shall be "read aright to the unsatisfied."

GEO. TICKNER CURTIS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 22, 1881.

A Horned Trotter.

F. L. Haight of 162 Sullivan street, New York, is interested in a steer of alleged phenominal powers. The steer is in Pennsylvania, but Mr. Haight dosen't care to say exactly in what part of the State, because some speculator might get at the steer and reap a harvest.

"He is what you might call a remarkable animal," said Mr. Haight, "and was born to trot. When he was a little calf, instead of jumping and gamboling on the green like other calves, he would set his head and spin off on a square trot for a quarter stretch. This created some comment, because the little Turk would make big time, and he was encouraged. He is only three years old now, and as gentle as a lamb, but he can pull a sulky over a mile of soft road in four minutes, and just get warmed up at that. His name is Novelty Boy, and he is strong on a three-mile trot. He's got big speed in him, and it can be brought out by straight training."

Mr. Haight then produced a photograph of Novelty Boy, standing between the shafts of a light racing sulky, looking very sleepy in the off eye. His fore legs are very short and his back long, but the under part of his body curves up, giving him a greyhound build. He is driven in light racing harness, with a collar that opens at the lower end. He is steered with ease by two reins attached to the base of his horns. Novelty Boy is pure with amber horns

For diseases of the nerves, brain, blood and lungs a superior medicine to all others is Brown's Iron Bitters.

The Biggest Liar.

Among the inmates of a Western insane asylum is a man who is often perfectly sensible, and when accosted at such times causes visitors to wonder why he is confined there. This inmate entered into conversation the other day with a caller, whose dress proclaimed him a clergyman. Said the madman: "It was too bad, was it not, the killing of Grant at Chicago?" "It was," said the minister, who followed the accepted custom of assenting to the statements of lunatics, for peace's sake. "Hayes was assassinated at Cincinnati, was he not?" again asked the lunatic. "Yes," replied the clergyman "And was not Queen Victoria murdered in her palace?" To this query from the madman the clerical visitor once more answered in the affirmative. The lunatic named one after another a dozen living royal personages, all of whom the clergyman was led to admit had been put out of the way. Finishing his catechism, the madman turned on the clergyman, and said, fiercely: "Your dress shows you are a minisser; but you are the worst liar I ever met."

Peaches.

That luscious fruit, the peach, is likely to be as scarce next season as it was this year. Many trees that were badly frozen last winter were cut off with the expectation that new tops would grow upon them They rapidly recovered during the early summer, but their growth was checked by the drought so that few buds were formed on the new tops. The yield from such trees will fall off eighty per cent. Trees that survived the severity of last winter budded late, and their growth was feeble. The buds which usually appear before frost are shrivelled.

It is thought that the drought has affected all kinds of fruit trees so seriously that the prospects for the season of 1882 are discouraging. The extraordinary dryness of the air, has prevented the formation of fruit buds. Horticulturists will do what they can to alter these conditions by mulching and manuring.

There has been in existence in England for many years a periodical called the *New Moon*, the contributors of which are inmates of lunatic asylums. As a rule, the articles display marked ability, and no one would suppose that the writers were suffering from mental aberration. On one occasion the editor of the *New Moon* received compliments from several subscribers that the contents of the journal, although well enough in their way, were lacking in distinctive flavor, and did not betray their origin; so in the next number he gave free play to his refractory contributors. There appeared astounding political revelations; a paper on evolution, with woodcut illustrations of the shape of the human soul at different ages; the designs of a machine to facilitate bodily ascension into heaven in the manner of Elijah; and the first canto of an epic, which, was not utterly incoherent, anticipatory of Alice in Wonderland. One number of this character was sufficient. The discontened subscribers expressed themselves satisfied, and begged that they might have no more of Bedlam broke loose in prose and verse.

HOW PRINTING AFFECTS THE HEALTH.—Years ago there was a notion prevalent among those who were but partially informed upon the question that printing business was essentially detrimental to health. There was a tradition about the absorption of poison from the constituents of which type metal was composed. This was, and is, true in so far as it asserts the poisonous nature of some of the constituent parts of type metal; but that these poisons should necessarily be absorbed into the system of one who handles type is simply absurd. Printers who have such habits of cleanliness and sobriety as a decent respect for one's self and the opinions of others might be expected to dictate, may follow their calling for years, without experiencing any further damaging effects upon their health than what will result from close application to any sort of hard work. More "poison" is absorbed by the printer when taking observations of his little finger through the bottom of a glass than any other way.—*Chicago Specimen.*

Lament of the statesman: We should think that after a man had been Secretary of the Treasury for three or four years, and had occasionally "dumped fifty millions of dollars" into Wall street to relieve the money market, and had called in twenty million sixes at one time and bought two million of bonds every week, and disbursed eleven millions one week and eighteen millions the next, we should think it would hurt him awfully to go back into his law office when the administration changed and make out an abstract of a farm away out in Buckshaw county and sell it for an old woman down in Kickapoo to an old fellow out in Waukindaw's settlement and only got a fee of $32, and have to wait four months for that and then have to take a sorrel colt for that.—*Attributed to Ex-Secretary Windom.*

PLUM CAKE.—This is a good school cake, and, if covered with sugar icing, is rich enough for children's birthday parties. Make two pounds of flour into dough, with two ounces of German yeast and three gills of tepid water. Let it rise for an hour, then work in a pound of dissolved butter, six eggs, well beaten, the rind of a lemon, half a small grated nutmeg, a pound of stoned raisins, a pound of currants and half a pound of candied peel, shred finely. When all the ingredients are mixed beat the cake up well, and let it rise in a hot place for an hour. Then put it into a greased tin and bake in a good oven for two hours. If made in more than one cake it will not take so long to bake.

Here is a Man who has just Stopped his Paper. What a Miserable looking Creature he is. He looks as if he had been stealing Sheep How will he Know what is going on, now that he has stopped his Paper? He will Borrow his Neighbor's paper. One of these Days he will Break his leg, or be a Candidate for office, and then the paper will Say nothing about it That will be Treating him just Right, will it not, little children?—*Denver Primer.*

Not long since a family moved into a house on Austin Avenue. After a week or so, a friend of the family called on them and asked them how they liked the locality. "Pretty well." "Have you called on any of the neighbors yet?" "No, but I'm going to if there is any more of my firewood missing."—*Texas Siftings.*

Odd Items.

WE CONFIDENTLY ASSERT AND CAN SATISFACTORILY PROVE

There is no instance on record of a case of dyspepsia or torpid liver that cannot be relieved and positively cured by the systematic use of Simmons' Liver Regulator. This is no vain boast, but an established fact; and suffered from these diseases deny themselves the blessings of health and comfort by refusing to give the Regulator a trial. It is no compound of adventures, but a meritorious medicine which has won its high reputation in countries where torpid livers prevail and and where Nature supplies the roots and herbs to cure the disease common to its climate.

Ambitious man: Is there any fixed rule for writing poetry? There is! Don't!

Mr. Cobb recently married Miss Webb; he knew they were intended for each other as soon as he spider.

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is a really remarkable and time-honored medicine. It is the best remedy known for all diseases of the throat and lungs.

PREMIUM WINE.

We can confidently recommend Speer's Port Grape Wine, which was recommended the highest premium at the World's Fair, as a superior article of wine for the sick and debilitated, and all those who require a vinous stimulation and invigoration. The vineyards and cellars are at Passaic, New Jersey, near New York City. This wine is sold by C. A. Kleim, druggist, Bloomsburg, Pa.

In accordance with the facts: A party of San Juan ranchers made a bonfire of an Apache Indian, and the coroner's jury returned a verdict of "overcome by the heat."

When a Yankee in Rome was shown the petrified form of one of the early Christian martyrs, he remarked that it was evidently a Saint Gothard.

SITTING UP NIGHTS.

Mrs. E. S. Perkins, Creek Center, N. Y. writes she had been troubled with asthma for four years. Had to sit up night after night with it, and was ultimately cured by two bottles of Thomas' Eclectric Oil.

When a man told his wife that he had just traded for a new spring wagon, she replied, "You dunce you! why did you buy a spring wagon in the fall of the year?"

An auctioneer, by birth a native of the Grreen Isle, of course, caused to be printed on his handbills at a recent sale, "Every article sold goes to the highest bidder, unless some gentleman bids more."

KIDNEY COMPLAINT CURED.

B. Turner, Rochester, N. Y. writes: "I have been for over a year subject to serious disorder of the kidneys, and often unable to attend to business. I procured your Burdock Blood Bitters and was relieved before half a bottle was used. I intend to continue, as I feel confident that they will cure me." Price $1.00, trial size 10 cents.

Farmer Janesbury says his hens always lay during the winter. All he has to do is to casually remark that eggs have dropped down to ten cents a dozen. Then they all go to work with a will.

Texas complains of too many newspapers. It is getting so a gentleman can't take a hand in a lynching, or even join in a free fight without having his name in print.

Joseph Durrinlurger, Broadway, Buffalo, was induced by his brother to try Thomas' Eclectric Oil for a sprained ankle; and with half a dozen applications he was enabled to walk round again all right.

A greenback with a hole in it will be received where a silver dollar having a hole in would be refused. This is an Iowa argument in favor of greenbacks.

[Cincinnati Irish Citizen.]

Mr. Thomas Lewis, 62 Butler street, informs us that for seven years he was afflicted with that dreadful malady, Sciatica, and being induced to try St. Jacobs Oil, found almost immediate relief therefrom, and is now perfectly cured.

The Star route men have had seven lawyers to pay for the last six months, and many people are beginning to think they are punished enough.

A WRONG IDEA.

Many persons having gotten the wrong idea that hops are strengthening, have taken to drinking beer and ale very freely. The consequence is they feel better for a short time, but when the reaction comes they are much weaker than before. Reader, if you value life, lay aside all malt and alcoholic beverages and put your trust in that temperance preparation of iron and vegetable tonics called Brown's Iron Bitters. It gives real health and strength to every part of the body, refreshes the mind, and restores the nervous system to its proper standard. Over 1,000,000 bottles have been sold this year.

A devil fish with arms thirty-two feet feet long has been caught on the banks of Newfoundland. What a cashier he would have made.

Georgie (four years old, at the tea table): "Mamma, may I have some sardines?" "Mamma: "Wait till I'm ready, Georgie." Georgie (surprised): "Why, ma, it's me as wants 'em."

An exchange thinks the cause of temperance will stand a poor show if a German chemist has discovered, as he says, how to make brandy from sawdust. There is not much chance for a temperance preacher to get in his work when "a man can take his rip saw and go out and get drunk on a fence rail."

A tutor of a college, lecturing to a young man on the irregularity of his conduct, added with great pathos: "The report of your vices will bring your father's gray hairs with sorrow to the grave." "I beg your pardon, sir," replied the pupil, "my father wears a wig."

A pure, wholesome distillation of witch hazel, American pine, Canada fir, marigold, clover blossoms, etc., fragrant with the healing essences of balsam and of pine. Such is Sanford's Radical Cure for Catarrh. Complete treatment for $1.

One by one the beautiful legends of the world are fading into nonentities. It is now said there is no race of tailed men in Borneo. Perhaps they didn't put the premium lists high enough and the men wouldn't race.

The Columbian.

G. E. ELWELL, J. K. BITTENBENDER, } Editors.

BLOOMSBURG, PA.

Friday, Jan. 6th, 1882.

The Delaware county *Democrat* thinks "a tariff for revenue is what everybody wants."

The new five-cent Garfield postage stamp is said to be the handsomest ever issued.

A man with a small salary and a large family says if Pride goes before a fall he would like to see Pride start on a little ahead of the price of coal and provisions.

Mosby writes that there is an opening for a good American dentist in Hong Kong. Mosby has not been minister to China in vain.

Newark, New Jersey, takes the belt for bank defalcations and official fraud. The guilty parties are republicans of the "high moral idea" sort.

Neal Dow says that prohibition does prohibit in Massachusetts to the extent that it drives the brewers out of the State. He cheerfully chronicles the fact that the workmen are now engaged in tearing down the walls of the last brewery.

TRUE LOYALTY.—President Arthur is all wrong when he speaks about "loyalty to the chief magistrate." There is no such loyalty in this country. We are loyal to the Union and the constitution, but not to the president, whom a single vote may make or unmake.—*New York Star* (*dem.*)

Attorney-General Brewster makes a very determined countenance of bringing the Star-route jobbers to justice. Brewster is, perhaps, honest in this intention, but it may be set down for certain that not a hair of the head of one of those robbers will be injured. They know entirely too much.—*Baltimore Gazette.*

Hereafter Guiteau is to be furnished with prison fare and will not be allowed to receive letters and newspapers. It is rather late in the day for this action, but it is none the less proper on that account. If Judge Cox could devise some means to close the detestable assassin's mouth while he is in Court, the community would be greatly relieved.

Guiteau's trial has lasted more than eight weeks and the end is not yet. The government's evidence was all in on Tuesday and sur-rebuttal testimony for the defence opened. The majority of the experts examined were of opinion that Guiteau was sane, and Dr. Gray the last witness, was especially explicit [illegible] atements to that effect. The [illegible] farce of a trial has already cost [illegible] and this vast sum will doubt- [illegible] ased.

Major Klotz has introduced bills in Congress for the relief of S. E. Bryant, Charles S. Keller, Francis H. Ellison, asking pensions for Eliza Frick, Aaron Snyder, C. K. Hughes, Elizabeth Edwards, Amelia A. Wilson, Elizabeth Mazell, Susanna B. Davis, Louisa J. Guthrie, Joseph E. Vanhorn, William H. Deery, Philip Jacobs, James W. Kane, Mathias Wondrak, and others. Our Congressman is not much of a talker but he is what is much better, an indefatigable worker.

The Wilkesbarre *Union Leader* is sensible in the opinion that: "Since State Treasurer Butler has shown that the revenues for the next fiscal year will exceed the expenses by probably a million of dollars, there can be no longer an excuse for taxing things that have so very largely to do with the material interests of the State and the individual. Relieving manufacturing companies from taxation we regard only in the light of a positive advantage to both capital and labor."

First Assistant Postmaster General Hatton has made a ruling that the sender of any request matter (mail matter requested to be returned if not delivered in a specified time) has the right to lengthen or shorten the time originally named on the envelope, but the letter or matter must remain as long as three days in the office of destination after the time it may be sent to the writer in the time he requests. Postmasters shall return matter upon such requests without the charge of additional postage. The same ruling applies to card matter containing simply the name and address of the sender.

The people of Philadelphia owe the *Times* of that city a vote of thanks. Some time since that paper offered a series of rewards for the arrest and conviction of "jury fixers." Three of those rascals have been convicted and sent to jail and the *Times*, on Saturday, paid detective Wm. F. Miller, through whose labors the convictions were secured, the neat sum of $1,750. It does not speak well for the vigilance and energy of the authorities, however, that "jury fixers" could not be punished until an enterprising newspaper took the matter in hand. The *Times* is the liveliest kind of a journal and unalterably opposed to rogues of every kind.

The law of Pennsylvania defining the relations of landlord and tenant is clearly defined. When a tenant rents a house from year to year running say from April 1st, 1881, the three-months' notice to quit must be given before April 1st, 1882, or the tenant can occupy the premises for another year. But when the lease is for a fixed, definite period, to expire at a certain time, a notice before the expiration of the time is unnecessary. If the tenant does not then remove the landlord may, after its expiration, give notice and proceed under the act of March 21, 1772.

The report of the Superintendent of Public instruction for the year ending June 6, 1881 shows that the total amount appropriated to the Bloomsburg Normal School since 1869 is $123,444.46. The estimated value of school property in Columbia county is $154,500.00. The total number of permanent certificates granted to teachers during the year is 19. There are 151 school houses in the county of which 130 are frame, and 21 brick. 33 are unfit for use. 8 were erected during the year. 28 are badly ventilated. The Bible is read in 96. Drawing is taught in 32, vocal music in 67, any of the higher branches in 10. 47 applicants for schools were rejected. 125 male teachers are employed, and 65 female. 120 intend to make teaching a permanent [illegible] iness. 52 have attended a State Normal School, and 24 are graduates. The [illegible] superintendent made 424 visits [illegible] ols. Only three schools are regu- [illegible] edby directors.

The Boston *Herald* praises the President for the general excellence of his appointments, but says that his idea of reform seems to be put none but agreeable Republicans in office. The President's notion of an agreeable man is a man who agrees with him.

It is announced that General Grant has changed his opinion of Gen. Fitz John Porter and now considers him to be an ill-used man. It is further stated that Grant will have a bill introduced into Congress looking to Porter's re-instatement in the army and that the President will approve it. In view of this change of opinion it would be interesting to know just what Grant thinks of Gen. John Pope.

Whenever the Democrats of New York make up their minds to throw Tammany Hall and John Kelly overboard, their chances of success will assume the air of possibility. So long as Kelly and his followers are received as Democrats and permitted at every election to sell out to Republicans, there is no hope of Democratic victory. At the recent election the Democrats carried the New York legislature, but from present appearances their triumph will prove of no avail, as the Tammany faction has fomented a serious quarrel as regards the organization. It is a thousand times better to be beaten without Kelly than with him, and to this complexion must the New York Democrats come at last.

A thrifty man is Rutherford B. Hayes and remarkably careful as to expenditures. His uncle Burchard left him a handsome fortune and he saved a very large proportion of Mr. Tilden's salary, yet he is too poor to subscribe to the Garfield Monument fund. When asked to subscribe to this object a few days since he flatly refused, on the ground of poverty, and yet he must be worth $300,000 or $400,000. Hayes did not shine in the White House and his lustre is even dimmer since he has been relegated to private life. Zack Chandler made the most correct estimate of the fraudulent President.

Gigantic Swindle.

A telegram purporting to be forwarded from Madrid was printed in the Havana papers recently announcing that ticket No. 64,475 had drawn the capital prize of $500,000 in the national lottery. Subsequently the ticket was presented to the banking house of J. M. Borjes & Co., who telegraphed their Madrid correspondent and received what appeared to be a reply confirming the published dispatch. They then negotiated the ticket and the following day the payee returned them $211,000 against a cable transfer to Paris. The swindle was subsequently discovered and a large part of the money has been recovered. It is believed that the money transferred to Paris has not yet been paid.

THE NEW OFFICERS.

The new county officers were sworn in and entered upon the duties of their respective offices on Monday. William Krickbaum enters upon his second term as prothonotary, and will retain the services of Matthew Quick, who has filled the position of clerk in that office most acceptably. Charles Reichart enters upon his second term as county commissioner, having filled the position so well for the past three years that the people saw fit to retain him there. Joshua Fetterman is the second Republican who has been elected commissioner on the minority representation plan. B. Frank Edgar is a gentleman of excellent reputation as an honest straight-forward citizen, and no one doubts that he will make a most efficient and satisfactory officer. It is the general belief that the present board will conduct the business of the county wholly in the interests of the people. John B. Casey has been re-appointed clerk to the commissioners, a position which he has filled the past three years

A. M. Johnson, county treasurer, will make a popular officer. He has selected George A. Herring as his deputy. Mr. Herring has had considerable experience in such matters, having been treasurer of Schuylkill county in 1872-3 and was Sweppenhiser's deputy during his incumbency.

G. W. Sterner starts in as register and recorder in a manner that gives promise of a successful and acceptable discharge of his duties. As stated last week, he will be assisted by P. H. Freeze, who has had several years' experience in that office.

Taken all together the county offices are well filled.

Horrible Railroad Accident.

Thursday night of last week witnessed one of the most disastrous railroad accidents that has ever occurred upon the line of the Pennsylvania railroad. Three Harrisburg men were horribly mangled and burned to death; twelve cars were completely demolished, and a caboose and two engines badly wrecked.

The place where the accident occurred was about a half mile east of Christiana station. At what is called North Bend there is a very deep cut through a hill, and a short curve in the road, which prevents the engineer of one train from seeing the train in front of him until he is almost upon it.

Freight engine 213, going west, drawing a long train, was running slowly through the deep cut at North Bend, about half a mile east of Christiana and just over the line in Chester county, when freight engine 253 ran into the rear of the train. The latter engine was thrown off the track and badly broken and four empty cars and the caboose of the forward train were broken up, completely blocking both tracks. At the time the accident occurred extra freight engine 82, east, was due at that point, and before a flagman could be sent up the track to stop it, came rushing along and ran into the wreck. The engine was badly wrecked and hurled over on the bank and eight cars following it, loaded with glass and merchandise, were wrecked and piled up in confusion. To add to the horror of the scenes the trains immediately took fire from the burning coals thrown from the furnaces of the damaged engines, and the flames raged fiercely all night, lighting up the country for miles around. At daybreak there was scarcely a particle of woodwork left of either of the engines or the cars that were wrecked around them—nothing, indeed, but a great mass of red hot castings, wrought iron machinery and thousands of pounds of nails and fused glass tumblers, the burned cars having been freighted with glassware, nails and shingles.

Wreckers from Columbia and Parkesburg were sent to the scene of the accident, and in response to a request sent to Lancaster, the Washington engine with 1,000 feet of hose, including a large quantity borrowed from the Union, was sent down.

Fitzgerald made 582 miles in the Ennis walking-match, beating the record; Noremac made 565 miles, Herty 556 miles, Krohne 510 miles and Lacouse 501 miles.

Ulysses S. Grant was one of our best generals and one of our worst Presidents. As a general he possessed qualities which were essential to a man of war, and he possessed also what no general before him had, viz: the aid of the Government fully and freely. He had, too, the advantage of being placed in charge of affairs at that time when the condition of the South was most deplorable, the treasury drained, resources exhausted and no men to recruit its armies. It is not to be wondered at that a good general should be able to strike a decisive and fatal blow. As a President Mr. Grant covered himself with shame and made American politics a synonym for all that is corrupt and impure. Mr. Grant as President showed himself to be grasping, greedy and intensely selfish. Without a blush he saved a Cabinet officer from a just punishment: without hesitation he accepted gifts from men that he afterwards rewarded with offices, and in open defiance of all that ought to be regarded by a man holding the highest gift of the American people, this man rushed into the speculations of Wall street and backed himself by the United States Treasury. We may have had weak Presidents, we may have had narrow partisan Presidents, but never has the history of our nation been disgraced by a man so unscrupulously selfish as U. S. Grant. By the means employed by him as President of the United States, and by the gifts of those seeking office, Gen. Grant left the Presidency a wealthy man, and yet Gen. Logan presents a bill to the Senate asking that Gen. Grant may be placed upon the retired list, in order that the General may be able to draw a few thousand dollars from the Treasury during his life time. If the General was a man of any sense of honor, and of fine sense of right, he would command Gen. Logan to desist. It would only be common decency for him to do so, but from the knowledge of the past, there can be no other belief than that Gen. Grant will aid instead of asking Senator Logan to desist from urging the bill he has presented.—*Phila. Chronicle-Herald.*

The Only Way to Defeat the Cameron Clan.

The Democratic party in common with the Wolfe Independents and the "Continental Congress" are opposed to stalwartism in all its forms. They are animated by a common purpose to wrest the State government from the hands of the Cameron ring. They want a Pardon Board in whose integrity the people of the Commonwealth can have some confidence. They want a Governor who is not a ringster. They want a Legislature whose members will be governed by the wishes of their constituents, and will not be continually for sale to the highest bidder. They want to secure the election of a United States Senator at the expiration of Mr. Cameron's term who will reflect some degree of credit upon the State he represents. They want to clean out, once for all, the den of thieves on Capitol Hill at Harrisburg. These are certainly worthy and noble purposes, and they undoubtedly animate a large majority of the citizens of Pennsylvania.

With an effective coalition between these elements, there can be no question that the objects so earnestly desired by three-fourths of the people of Pennsylvania can be secured. Without such a coalition the success of the ring is a forgone conclusion. It is worse than idle for the Democratic leaders to hope for the success of a straight-out Democratic ticket. They have fought it out on that line until defeat has grown to be a chronic malady. All the paper bullets of the "Continental Congress"—all the manly independence of the Wolfe "kickers" and all the pig-headed Democracy in the world will not accomplish the overthrow of the Harrisburg ring unless they are brought together by some intelligent management and made to work in harmony for a common purpose. It remains to be seen whether there is enough statesmanship and political strategy in the ranks of these three elements to bring about the common result which all profess to be so anxious to accomplish.—*Pottsville Chronicle* (*Dem.*)

News Items.

Eagles are unusually numerous along the Juniata river.

Frederick A. Palmer, city auditor of Newark N. J. is a defaulter to the amount of $125,000. He was a model of integrity and stood high in the community.

The President's reception at the White House on New Year's day was attended by members of the diplomatic corps, Senators and Congressmen, Supreme Court Judges, army and navy officers and the general public. It was a brilliant affair.

During a Knights of Pythias festival at Goeler's Hall, in Shanesville, Ohio, on Monday night, the floor gave way when there were some 200 guests present. It is thought the total number of killed and wounded will reach a hundred.

A company has been formed to search for oil in Somerset county. A tract of land eight miles long and four miles wide has been leased, and the company think the oil indications are excellent.

Angelo Cornetti, who was the cause of the quarrel in Sing Sing Prison in which Onofrio Mangano killed Charles Williams, stabbed and killed Daniel Cash under similar circumstances.

The Pennsylvania Coal Company will begin this week surveying the route for a new railroad between Hawley and Pittston and purposes pushing the work rapidly to completion. The company will compete for the freight and passenger traffic of this section. The new road will be about forty miles in length and will connect at Hawley with the Lackawaxen branch of the New York, Lake Erie and Western, thus giving the Pennsylvania Coal Company control of a through line between Pittston and New York.

Sheriff Ansley, of Indiana county, has received the the warrant for the execution of James G. Allison on the 17th of February.

The *Petroleum World*, a daily published at Titusville, Pa., ceased publication last Saturday. It was independent in politics and supported Wolf for State Treasurer in the last campaign.

Hon. Edward Joy Morris, Minister to Turkey from 1861 to 1870, died on Saturday last in Philadelphia, aged 66 years. He was the author of a book of travels in the Levant, and of several valuable translations from the German.

A bridge on the Boston & Maine R. R. gave way on Monday as a train was crossing. The cars caught fire and were consumed. One man was killed and fifteen or twenty injured. There were about 100 passengers on board.

The condition of the banks throughout the country indicate that capital is seeking business investment and this bespeaks a busy new year. The promise is that the year 1882 will be the busiest and most prosperous of any that this country has ever had.

Four students of a Wisconsin college who stole a farmer's gate "for fun," were given by the faculty the alternative of leaving the college or of undergoing such punishment as the farmer might inflict. They chose the latter, and the farmer condemned them to chop four cords of his wood and deliver it to a poor widow. They did it to the music of a band and the plaudits of a crowd that watched the operation.

The revived proposal for erecting a monument in London to the great champion of the principles of the Reformation, William Tyndale, the martyr, is well supported. A suitable site for the memorial has been obtained on the Thames Embankment. It will consist of a statue to be modelled by Mr. Boehm, and, and a pedestal, on which it is proposed to place bas reliefs by the same artist, descriptive of scenes in Tyndale's life. Tyndale's translation of the New Testament was the true primary version. The versions that followed were either substantially reproductions of Tyndale's translation in its final shape, or revisions of versions that had been themselves almost entirely based on it.

CONSUMPTION.

IMPORTANT TO THE PUBLIC AS WELL AS THE MEDICAL PROFESSION.

Hall's Journal of Health, referring to consumption, makes the following important statement:

"Consumption usually begins with a slight dry cough in the morning, then, on going to bed getting more and more frequent, with more and more phlegm, increasing debility, thinness of flesh, shortness of breath, and quickness of pulse. In fatal cases its average is about two years; hence the importance of arresting the disease at as early a stage as possible, and the sooner rational means are employed for this purpose the greater the chance of success. The disease is owing to an irritation commencing in the throat and extending to the lungs, so that their action is interfered with, and the blood does not receive sufficient oxygen to purify it. The most marked sign of lung disease is emaciation; and the most positive indication of returning health is increase in weight.

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Marriages.

WOLF—FORTNER—At the residence of Mr. LeGrand Sponenberg, Nescopeck, Luzerne county, Pa., Dec. 15, 1881, by Rev. M. L. Smyser; Mr. Frank Wolf, of Stillwater, Columbia county, and Miss Emma Fortner, of Snydertown, Northumberland county, Pa.

HARTMAN—PARKER—On Thursday, Dec. 29th, 1881, at Millville, by Rev. J. V. Bodine, Mr. Edward Hartman, and Miss Lucy A. Parker, all of Greenwood, Columbia county, Pa.

HELWIG—KRISHER—December 24, 1881, by Rev. G. B. Dechant, at Catawissa, Mr. Wm. E. Helwig, of Ashland, Pa., to Miss Emaline Krisher, of Locust, Pa.

KERSHNER—SCHLAUCH—December 24, 1881, by Rev. G. B. Dechant, at Catawissa, Mr. Wm. M. Kershner, to Miss Sarah Schlauch, both of New London, Luzerne county, Pa.

GARDNER—FLEMING—December 25, 1881, by Rev. G. B. Dechant, at Catawissa, Mr. John Gardner of Catawissa, to Miss Clara Fleming, of Mainville, Pa.

HEDDEN—KLINE—December 29, 1881, by Rev. G. B. Dechant, at Catawissa, Mr. J. F. Hedden, to Miss Ada Kline, both of Catawissa, Pa.

PLESS—BAHM—December 31, 1881, by Rev. G. B. Dechant, at the house of Henry Beaver, near Millgrove, Pa., Mr. J. H. Godfry Pless of Ashland, to Miss Angeline Bahm of Kernville, Pa.

ASHELMAN—WENNER—On December 31st, at the home of the bride, by Rev. A. Houtz, Mr. J. F. Ashelman, to Miss Frances A. Wenner, both of Benton township.

HESS—YOST—On December 31, at the Reformed parsonage, in Orangeville, by Rev. A. Houtz, Mr. N. W. Hess to Miss Mary A. Yost, both of Fishingcreek township.

NEYHARD—KNORR—On the 22d, inst. by Rev. A. Houtz, Mr. Amos Neyhard to Miss Alverette Blanch Knorr, all of Orangeville, Pa.

HESS—DERR—December 22, 1881, at the home of the bride's father, Mr. Geo. Derr, by D. M. Kinter, Mr Harvey W. Hess of Benton, to Miss Leah C. Derr of Jackson.

MILLER—ADAMS.—At the Lutheran parsonage in Elysburg, on Dec. 24th, by Rev. J. A. Adams, Mr. William F. Miller, of Locust township, Columbia county, and Miss Susan Adams, of Shamokin township, Northumberland county.

Catawissa News.

GLEANED FROM THE "ITEM."

Capt. M. M. Brobst is confined to his room by illness.

Dr. Willits and wife are visiting friends in Martinsburg, West Virginia.

Dr. J. K. Robbins has been suffering from sciatica for several weeks, but we are pleased to learn, is convalescing.

Protracted meetings began at the M. E. Church last Sunday.

A pair of Langshan chickens belonging to Mr. A. H. Sharpless were awarded the first premium and a special premium at the exhibition of the Poultry and Pet Stock Association at Reading last week.

Mr. P. H. Shuman and family, who left this place some months since for Peoria, Ill., where they intended to make their future home returned to this place one day last week. We are informed that Mr. Shuman will locate at Beaver Valley, where he will have charge of his father's tannery.

John Owens has purchased the property of James P. Wright on Railroad street.

Martin Overdorf has moved into his new house on Mill street.

Mifflin Items.

Protracted meeting at the M. E. church is still in progress.

A subscription is being taken up for Mr Caleb Creasy, whose home was burned by the late fire.

The roads in this place have been worse for the past few days than they have for a long time.

The German Lutherans and Reformers expect to build a new church at this place very soon, which will be an improvement to the town.

Last Friday being the birthday of Mrs. Lydia Erwin, neighbors in order to surprise her, gathered at Schweppenheiser & Snyder's store in the evening, each one with a present. The surprise was great. About sixty persons participated, and an enjoyable evening was spent.

The people of this vicinity were very much shocked on last Thursday morning by being informed that Jacob Platt was that morning found dead. He left home on Wednesday morning to set up some cord wood which he had cut for I. K. Schweppenheiser after which he said he would go to his brother-in-law's, Spade's. Not returning home that evening, his son went in search of him and the next morning found him dead lying by the side of his work. Dr. Brown was summoned, examined the body, and said that death was caused by a stroke of palsy. The deceased was fifty-four years old, a mason by trade, at which he had worked for many years. He had not an enemy in the world. The funeral took place on Saturday. He leaves a wife and four children.

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COURT PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, the Hon. WILLIAM ELWELL President Judge of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Court of Quarter Sessions of the Peace and the Court of Common Pleas and Orphans' Court in the 26th Judicial District, composed of the counties of Columbia and Montour, and the Hons. James Lake and F. L. Shuman, Associate Judges of Columbia county, have issued their precept, bearing date the 9th day of Dec. in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one, and to me directed for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Quarter Sessions of the Peace, Court of Common Pleas and Orphans' Court, in Bloomsburg, in the county of Columbia, on the first Monday, being the 6th day of Feb. next, to continue two weeks.

Notice is hereby given to the Coroner, to the Justices of the Peace, and the Constables of the said County of Columbia, that they be then and there in their proper person at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said 6th day of Feb, with their records, inquisitions and other remembrances, to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done. And those that are bound by recognizance to prosecute against the prisoners that are or may be in the jail of the said county of Columbia, to be then and there to prosecute them as shall be just. Jurors are requested to be punctual in their attendance, agreeably to their notices. Dated at Bloomsburg the 5th day of Jan. in the year of our Lord one {L. S.} thousand eight hundred and eighty-two and in the one hundred and seventh year of the Independence of the United States of America.

Sheriff's Office, Bloomsburg, Jan. 6—tc U. H. ENT, Sheriff.

NOTICE IN PARTITION.

ESTATE OF ELIZABETH WENNER, DECEASED.

To Julia Schleger, intermarried with Jacob Schleger, of Susquehanna county, Pa; H. V. Garrett, of East Nanticoke, Luzerne county, Pa., Mahlon B Hicks, of Baltimore, Md., Susan A. Wolf, intermarried with Andre Wolf, of Black Creek, Luzerne county, Pa., Henry Shaffer, Susanna Crawford, intermarried with Stephen Crawford, Angelina Garrett, intermarried with Levi Garrett, and Stephen Pohe, guardian ad litem of the minor children of Emily Hicks, all of Columbia county, Pa., Greeting:

In accordance with a rule granted upon the 12th day of December, 1881, by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, you are hereby notified and required to appear upon the first day of the next term of Court and accept at the valuation, the following described premises or show cause why the same shall not be sold, viz: All that certain messuage or tract of land situate in Centre township, Columbia county, bounded on the north by a public road, on the east by a public road, on the south by lands of Wilson Miller, and on the west by lands of H. Schweppenheiser, containing two acres more or less with the appurtenances, of the estate of said decedent.

Jan. 5-4w U. H. ENT, Sheriff.

PUBLIC SALE OF Valuable Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, the undersigned executor of Philip Unangst, late of Fishingcreek township, Columbia county, deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises on

Saturday, January 28th, 1882,

at one o'clock in the afternoon, the following described real estate, to-wit;

A certain piece or parcel of land situate in Fishingcreek township, bounded by lands of Edward Unangst, William Unangst, A. Lewis and William W. Miller, containing FIVE ACRES and five perches on which is a good

FRAME DWELLING HOUSE,

frame stable and out-buildings. There is also an excellent lot of FRUIT TREES on this lot.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent. of one-fourth of the purchase money shall be paid at the striking down of the property; the one-fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation absolute, and the remaining three-fourths in one year after confirmation nisi, with interest from that date.

Jan. 5, 1882-4w SAMUEL SHIVE, Executor.

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REGISTER'S NOTICES.

Notice is hereby given to all legatees, creditors and other persons interested in the estates of the respective decedents and minors, that the following administrators', executors' and guardians' accounts have been filed in the office of the Register of Col. Co., and will be presented for confirmation and allowance in the Orphans' Court to be held in Bloomsburg, on Monday, Feb. 6 1882, at 3 o'clock p. m. on said day:

1. The account of Ezekiel Fritz and Wm. Robbins administrator of Elisha Robbins, late of Jackson township, deceased.
2. The first and final account of John Pfouts administrator, de bonus non cum testamento annexo, of the estate of Hannah Baird, deceased, as filed by Rachel Pfouts, executrix, of the last will and testament of John Pfouts, deceased.
3. Account of Miranda Lee, administratrix of Sally Kisner, deceased, late of Berwick.
4. First and final account of John J. Longenberger administrator of John Jacob Longenberger, of Mifflin township, deceased.
5. Final account of Freas Brown, guardian of Samuel C. Creasy, minor child of H. W. Creasy, of Scott township, deceased.
6. Third and partial account of John Bellas one of the executors of Adam Bellas, late of Fishing creek, deceased.
7. First and final account of John K. Gretz, administrator of William Verry, late of the town of Bloomsburg, deceased.
8. First and final account of Stephen Gearheart, guardian of Charles Gearheart, a minor child of Jacob Gearheart, late of Main township, deceased.
9. The first and final account of William Fetterman, executor of Jonas Fetterman, late of Locust township, deceased.
10. Second and final account of I. K. Krickbaum and William Brink, executors of Joshua Brink, late of Benton township, deceased.
11. The first and partial account of B. Frank Zarr, one of the administrators of Andrew Gingles, deceased.
12. The first and final account of B. Frank Zarr, administrator of Hannah Zarr, deceased.
13. The second account of B. Frank Zarr, executor of George Zarr, deceased.
14. The first and partial account of R. F. Chapin, one of the executors of Jared Harrison, deceased.
15. The final account of Thomas Dollman, guardian of Elizabeth Dollman, a minor child of John Dollman, deceased.
16. The final account of Thomas Dollman, guardian of William Dollman, a minor child of John Dollman deceased.
17. The first and final account of Seth Shoemaker, administrator of Catharine Shoemaker, late of Hemlock township, deceased.
18. An account of J. M. Lilly, administrator of Joseph Lilly, late of Scott township, deceased.
19. First and final account of Samuel Lehr, administrator of Joseph Lehr, late of Beaver township, deceased.
20. The first and final account of Jeremiah Kostenbauder and J. C. Knittle, administrators of Clara Camp, deceased.
21. First and final account of Thomas J. Vandersilce, late of Mt. Pleasant township, deceased, as filed by his executors, John Kistler and C. M Vandersilce.
22. First and final account of John L. Moyer, administrator of George W. Marsh, late of the City of Binghamton, State of New York, deceased
23. First and final account of Hiram Shugars, administrator of George Hollenback, late of Main township, deceased

Register's Office, Bloomsburg Jan. 5, '82 } GEO. W. STERNER, Register.

TRUSTEE'S SALE OF Valuable Real Estate.

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, the undersigned Trustee in the estate of Thomas Stackhouse, deceased, will expose to public sale on the premises on

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 3rd, 1882,

commencing at ten o'clock a. m., all that certain messuage,

Farm or Tract of Land,

bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Westwardly by lands of G. H. Gordner, jr., John Gordner and lands occupied by Philip Watts, southwardly by lands of Daniel Gordner and Samuel Snyder, eastwardly by lands of John Gordner and lands occupied by G. T. Crist, and, northwardly by lands of G. H. Gordner, sr., and lands occupied by G. T. Crist, containing

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TERMS OF BOTH SALES.—Ten per cent. of 1-4 of the purchase money to be paid at the striking down of the property, the one-fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation absolute, and the remaining three-fourths in one year after confirmation nisi with interest from that date.

Jan. 5 ts JOHN GORDNER, Trustee.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In the matter of Samuel Beck, assigned to Columbia County Mutual Saving Fund and Loan Association, vs. I. K. Schweppenheiser. | No. 152 Feb. Term, 1878. And now Dec. 30, 1881, on motion of C. W. Miller, Att'y, for plaintiff, Samuel Knorr, Esq. is appointed Auditor to make distribution of proceeds arising from Sheriff's sale of real estate. BY THE COURT.

In pursuance of the above, the undersigned Auditor will sit at his office in Bloomsburg, on Friday, February 3rd, 1882, at ten o'clock a. m., to perform the duties of his appointment when and where all persons interested should appear and present their claims or be debarred from coming in on said fund.

Jan. 5-4w S. KNORR, Auditor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF CATHARINE GALL, DECEASED.

Letters of administration on the estate of Catharine Gall, late of Montour township Columbia county Penn'a., deceased, have been granted by the Register of said co. to C. C. Peacock, administrator, c.t.a. All persons having claims against the estate of the decedent are requested to present them for settlement and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned executor without delay.

Jan. 5-6w C. C. PEACOCK, Administrator, c. t. a.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the following account has been filed in the Prothonotary's office of Columbia county, and will be presented to the Court of Common Pleas of said county on the first Monday of February, A. D. 1882 and confirmed after the fourth day of said term unless exceptions be filed within that time.

1. The first account of B. Frank Zarr, Trustee under the will of George Zarr.

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The Columbian.

BLOOMSBURG, FRIDAY, JAN 6, '82.

PUBLIC SALES.

Geo. W. Hirleman, administrator of Samuel Rhone, will sell real estate on the premises in Benton township, on Friday, January 13th, 1882.

I. K. Krickbaum, administrator of the estate of Peter Appleman, will sell real estate at the Exchange Hotel in Benton, on Saturday, December 31st, 1881.

P. Foulk and Joel Folk, administrators of Louis Folk, will expose to public sale valuable personal property, on the premises in Hemlock township, on Saturday, January 7th, 1882.

Samuel Shive executor of Philip Unangst, will sell real estate in Fishingcreek township on Saturday, January 28th.

John Gordner, trustee in the estate of Thomas Stackhouse, will sell real estate on the premises in Pine township, &c., on Friday, February 3rd, 1882.

License blanks kept on hand at this office.

A very decided change in the weather took place on New Year's day.

E. R. Ikeler Esq. has been chosen attorney to the County Commissioners.

If you have houses to rent next April advertise them in the COLUMBIAN.

The present severe weather is hard upon the winter grain, which is unprotected by snow.

Col. Sanford addressed the children at some of the Sunday schools on Sunday morning last.

G. L. Kostenbauder & Co. have made a brick addition to their hotel, in Catawissa and put a fine store room therein.

A protracted meeting is in progress at the Baptist church, conducted by Rev. Mr. Henshey, of Northumberland.

Croup prevails in Bloomsburg to an alarming extent. Four children have already died of the disease and others are sick.

A young man named Harvey Verry had three fingers smashed by a fall of lumber at Lockards' car works, on Wednesday.

Last Wednesday morning the mercury tumbled incontinently to zero and the silvery (German) laugh of the ice man is again heard in the land.

The winter term of the Bloomsburg State Normal School began on Monday last, with an excellent attendance. The school is in a most encouraging condition.

Every one has a will and a mind to think for himself, yet many will go about hacking and coughing until a friend recommends Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup for that cough.

Messrs. C. W. Hess, L. J. Adams and Garrick Mallery, county auditors, are engaged in auditing the accounts of the commissioners and treasurer this week.

Sold at Real Estate and Collection Office, Sterner property on Third street to Samuel Neyhard for $2500. C. W. Miller property on East street to J. C. Sterner for $1000.

Frankie, son of C. W. Runyan died of croup on Monday last and was buried on Wednesday afternoon. He was a bright little boy and was a great favorite with all who knew him.

The next lecture under the auspices of the Lecture Lyceum will be delivered by Gov. Will Cumback of Indiana on the evening of January 23d. His subject will be "The Invisible Some People."

James Sterner has bought the Terwilliger property on Fifth street, next to the public school building, and Samuel Neyhard has taken the property of James Sterner, on Third street, below railroad.

In the craw of a chicken recently killed in town three silver coins were found—two three-cent pieces and one five. The chick had evidently started a savings bank with a view to providing comforts in old age.

Eli Jones is fast completing the building for Mrs. Jane McBride on Third street. It is now being plastered. He has also a contract for building a double house on Main street for Wagonseller and Vanderslice.

Mr. B. T. Laycock, landlord of the Rupert hotel, caught a snow white weasel a few days ago and now has the pretty creature in a cage at the hotel. The animal is so rare in this latitude as to be considered a curiosity.

Theodore McGinness, of Pottsville, who has been clerking at the Montour Iron Works at Danville, for a year past, has been appointed superintendent of the works in place of Mr. Howe, who leaves for a European trip for his health.

Mr. Louis Bernhard has moved to the store of H. J. Clark, Main street, formerly occupied by J. W. Hoffman as a flour and feed store. Mr. Bernhard evidently expects an increase of business and means to be in a position to meet it.

John Sterner has contracts to build a frame building for Mrs. Kate Wilson on West street, and one for Jacob Aul on Fifth street, also to build another story on the National Bank building, now owned by Knorr & Wintersteen. He is expecting other contracts in a few days.

A masquerade ball was given in Brower's Hall on Monday night. About forty persons were present in fancy costumes and there was a large number of spectators. Dancing continued until morning and the affair was uncommonly lively.

Prof. I. W. Niles has purchased of Mr. J. Saltzer the music dealer, a beautiful Baby Grand Weber piano. He is to be congratulated on his possession of so fine an instrument. The Weber pianos are unequalled for sweetness and fullness of tone, and are beautifully cased.

A lecture will be delivered in Bloomsburg n the evening of the 11th inst. by Rt. Rev. W. Wayman, one of the Bishops of the frican M. E. Church. It is in answer to the ttacks made upon the Christian religion by ol. R. G. Ingersoll.

The War Reminiscences in the Philadelhia Weekly Press are full of interest, not only young men who have grown to man's este since the war, but to old soldiers, on ther side. To the latter, reading these rilling stories is like "shouldering their utch and fighting their battles o'er."

Local correspondence is requested from ery township in the county. Personal allusions, and jokes that but two or three understand should be omitted. All we want is lain statement of news, such as marriages, aths, accidents, improvements and the e. Matter of an editorial character we fer to write ourselves.

he secret of the success of the Philadela Weekly Press lies in many things, but ably in its complete fulfillment of the ds of every member of the family circle, not a newspaper only; it is a repository current literature, and always contains thing to interest ladies and children as l as the men of the house.

Leases and notices to quit for sale at this office.

The current news of the week, sketches of prominent Pennsylvanians, an agricultural page, a puzzle corner, a review of the fashions, selected matter of interest, are some of the features of the Philadelphia *Weekly Press*. $1.25 a year. Send for a specimen copy or join the club at your post office, and get it for $1 a year.

The water in Fishingcreek was very high last week. On Tuesday, Silas Hess, a young man, fell into the water in Sugarloaf township, while crossing the stream on logs, and had a narrow escape from drowning. About a half hour later on the same day, Romeo Peterman had a like experience at the same point.

There were two parties last week, one on Tuesday night at the residence of C. G. Barkley, and one on Thursday night, given by Miss Maude Freeze. At the latter, music was furnished by the Danville orchestra, and dancing was indulged in up to an early hour in the morning. Both occasions were very pleasant ones.

Executors' and administrators' account books, containing full instructions how to settle an estate, receipts, &c., for sale at this office. These are the most convenient books of the kind ever printed, and they are in use all over the State. tf

Eli Hess of Jackson township was brought to town on Thursday of last week and lodged in jail. He is charged with having committed an outrage upon a girl only eleven years of age. John F. D[illegible], justice of the peace, made out the commitment. Twelve additional jurymen were drawn on Monday, to try the case at the next term of court.

Thieves entered the store of Mrs. Aul, at Espy near the railroad station, on Friday night last, and stole cigars and other articles valued at about eight dollars. They were bunglers at the business and overlooked valuable goods, money, contenting themselves with cheap stuff. The man who usually sleeps in the store was attending a party, a fact of which the thieves were evidently aware.

No more small pox in Orangeville, but it has left me with a large stock of Fall, Winter and Millinery Goods on hand, which I intend to sell at ten per cent less than they can be purchased for anywhere else in the county, in order not to carry them over. So bring in your cash and produce and secure the greatest bargains of your life.

Nov. 25-tf C. W. Low.

Secretary Blaine, Judge Jere Black, Walt Whitman, Jefferson Davis, Robert Toombs, General Joe Johnson and other men equally famous, were among the contributors to the Philadelphia *Weekly Press* during the last year. The *Press* engages pens of the ablest writers in the country. It is sent to any address for one year with a splendid map of Pennsylvania for $1.

There were several applicants for the position of commissioners' clerk, among them Frank Hunt of Berwick, B. Hartman of Hemlock, William [illegible] and John B. Casey of Bloomsburg. The name of W. H. Jacoby was also mentioned in connection with the office. It was a good list to select from, any of them being thoroughly competent. Mr. Casey was appointed.

At an argument court held Friday, the Sheriff's deed of sale of the North & West Branch Railroad was acknowledged. Samuel Neyhard, H. G. Creveling and W. R. Tubbs were appointed Commissioners on the Independent school district Catawissa township. A number of cases were argued and papers submitted to the court.

At Berwick last Sunday, a policeman on his way home from church encountered a drunken and disorderly fellow, arrested him. A dozen or more of the man's friends went to his assistance and rescued him from the officer. Such an outrageous offence ought to be followed by severe punishment. It is understood that the offenders are known and will be arrested.

Vennor, the Canadian weather prophet, says we will have four days of [illegible] during the first week of January. In Canada the thermometer will probably reach [illegible] or 15 degrees below zero. After this the weather will moderate to mildness and then snow to rain. We will probably have two other cold spells during the month, with mild weather intervening.

Messrs. Edwin and K[illegible] celebrated the wooden wedding anniversary of their marriage the former on Saturday evening at 5 o'clock and the latter on Monday evening at 5 o'clock. New Year's was their wedding day but occurring at this time on Sunday the one chose Saturday and the other Monday. Quite a large gathering of friends was present at each occasion, and spent a very pleasant evening.

A communication from Danville rejected for several reasons: First, it is of a personal character, and if we give space to it, we must in justice to the person alluded to, publish an answer from him. Second, the question as to who are the oldest physicians of Columbia and Montour counties cannot be determined by newspaper articles, and third, the public has already had quite enough of this controversy.

If you get hold of a $5 note on the Boylston National Bank of Boston, take a second look at it. There is a photograph counterfeit out on that bank. The pink seal and figures are excellent imitations of the genuine. A glance at the green border and ends on the back of the note show they have been engraved and printed in such crude manner as to at once attract attention and determine the fraudulent character of the note. The state arms in the left oval and the eagle in the right oval are wretched [illegible].

The mail irregularity still continues, and grow more and more exasperating. The post-office department ought to take this matter in hand and see that there shall be a proper performance of the service. The non-receipt of letters and papers is extremely annoying and sometimes causes much inconvenience and even loss. The people are entitled to an efficient mail service, and ought to be secured to them.

We are glad to note that the publisher of the *Republican* has omitted from his columns this week, an advertisement of "Ozone." This advertisement was offered to the COLUMBIAN, and rejected because we believed it to be a fraud, but our esteemed cotemporary not being so virtuous, but a fraud that pays him forty dollars, he is counting speculative life insurance, accepted it and continued to publish it even after we informed him that the *Sunday School Times* had pronounced "Ozone" a fraud in that it would not begin to do what was announced and claimed for it. We are able to say that our conscientious neighbor did not discontinue this advertisement until all efforts to get it to him had failed, and there was no chance of getting paid for it. The *Sunday School Times* offers to refund the money to those who were swindled through its influence. Will the *Republican* do the same.

Death to rats, mice, [illegible] and ants.—[illegible]son's Exterminator. [illegible], granaries and households cleared in a single night [illegible] fear of bad smells. Best and cheapest vermin killer in the world. Sold everywhere.

The Treasurer of the Normal School at his office, H. J. Clark & Son's store, will pay coupons on outstanding bonds, including Nos. 16 and 17.

H. J. CLARK,
Jan. 5-2w Treas.

A meeting of the Gospel Temperance Union was held in the Lutheran church last Friday evening. The following officers were elected: President, Rev. S. Mitchell, D. D.; Vice Presidents, Mrs. Ferree, Mrs. C. B. Brockway, Mrs. William Neal, Philip Unangst, M. P. Lutz, M. C. Woodward, G. A. Potter; Recording Secretary, A. E. Phillips; Corresponding Secretary, Rev. F. P. Manhart; Treasurer, E. H. Little; Managers, Mrs. H. G. Phillips, Mrs. William Bodine, Mrs. M. E. Ent, Dr. McReynolds, George W. Correll and John Henson. An executive meeting was subsequently held, Rev. Dr. Mitchell in the chair.

OUR GLORIOUS INDEPENDENCE.

What can be more glorious than to be independent of suffering, caused by dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation, sick headache, or other diseases emanating from the stomach. This can be easily gained by a timely use of Burdock Blood Bitters. Price $1, trial size 10 cents.

On Saturday last, the county officers whose terms expired on that day, performed their last duties. Stephen Pohe and A. B. Herring, who have been commissioners the past three years, have endeavored to fill the position to the best of their ability. Mr. Sweppenhiser, county treasurer, gives way to A. M. Johnson, and Mr. Jacoby register and recorder to G. W. Sterner. For four consecutive terms, covering a period of twelve years, Mr. Jacoby was elected by the people to that office, and before that he was sent to the legislature. In his official career he has given general satisfaction. He has been attentive to duty, courteous and obliging to all who had business in his office.

On Thirty Days Trial.

We will send Dr. Dye's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belts and other Electric Appliances on trial for thirty days to young men and older persons who are afflicted with nervous debility, lost vitality, etc., guaranteeing speedy relief and complete restoration of vigor and manhood. Also for Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Paralysis, Liver and Kidney difficulties, Ruptures and many other diseases. Illustrated pamphlet sent free. Address Voltaic Belt Co., Marshall, Michigan.

Oct. 28, '81-1y

With this issue the COLUMBIAN enters upon its sixteenth year. Many changes have been made in the appearance of the paper since its inception, and all of these were for the better. Typographically the present paper is far in advance of the initial number, and it contains a much greater amount of local and general news. It is our desire to make improvements as fast as the business of the office will justify, and to furnish our readers with an increased amount of reading matter. We shall endeavor in every way to make the COLUMBIAN a thoroughly readable journal and our efforts will be aided by an extended subscription list. Send in your names at once and start the new year with a reliable, newsy, home paper.

LIVE AND LET LIVE.

Life is not always under our own control, but can be prolonged by care and prudence. Burdock Blood Bitters as a laxative, alterative and diuretic medicine tend materially to restore health and lengthen our days. Price $1, trial size 10 cents.

Personal.

Miss Ada Brower is spending a few weeks at Bellefonte with her sister, Mrs. Lingle.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Rupert will celebrate their golden wedding on the 19th inst.

Mr. C. H. Finding, wife and daughter, of Breckenridge, Colorado, are visiting Mr. Josiah Ralston, at Irondale.

Mr. John Geddis of Mansfield Ohio, has been in town for a few days, visiting his brother Thomas E. Geddis.

Col. R. Bruce Ricketts of Wilkes Barre passed through town last Monday, on his way to North Carolina, where he is interested in some valuable iron ore lands.

POPULARITY.

Thomas' Eclectric Oil has obtained great popularity, from its intrinsic value as a reliable medicine, in curing hoarseness and all irritations of the throat, diseases of the chest, etc. For these it is an incomparable pulmonic.

From Centralia.

The pigeon shooting match at Centralia last week, was won by D. F. Carry.

Rev. W. W. Evans, Presiding Elder, preached in the M. E. church at Ashland, on Sunday.

Young Mr. Reilly has one of the fastest horses in this section.

The Episcopal church was appropriately trimmed with evergreens on Christmas.

New side walks are badly needed incertain portions of our borough.

C. G. Murphy is doing a thriving business at his store.

J. A. Freck has returned from Europe.

"The world to an end shall come,
In eighteen hundred and eighty-one."

Mother Shipton's alleged prophecies close with the above words. She did not attempt to be more accurate, but some other fellow ciphered the matter out and discovered that the 15th day of November was the time when all things should come to an end. But the sun went down on that day without anything peculiar happening, and the world moved on. This still left Mother Shipton about six weeks for the fulfillment of her prediction, and some credulous and superstitious people really expected that the year 1882 would never come. But come it did on Sunday last, and the world generally did not seem at all surprised at its arrival. Not even a gun or a church bell announced the death of the old year and the birth of the new in this town. And so Mother Shipton must be classed as a second Vennor.

"Florinel."

It is seldom that the citizens of Bloomsburg are permitted to see such a drama as that of "Florinel," given in the Opera House on Friday evening, the 30th ult. The author, Sydney Rosenfield, is manager as well, and sees that the play is carried out to his original conceptions. Miss Julia A. Hunt has charming qualifications as a young actress. She carries out every point in the different characters she assumes. In the first act, while in the school park, the audience is brought at once to the plot of the play, in which "Florinel" stands between Rene de Runieres and Marcelle, to shield the latter from anticipated disgrace. C. S. Dickson, in Rene de Runieres, is found to be admired ardently by the Countess de Mauvert, and the Countess uses every possible means to further the disgrace about to fall upon "Florinel" by manipulations; but despite all the actions of this Countess, who is a beautiful but wicked woman, Rene seeks after "Florinel" and finally wins her, and all the disgrace that has been maliciously brought upon her is removed, and on her seventeenth birthday she is found the lawful heiress of great possessions. This troupe deserves a good house wherever they go.

[Kansas City Times.]

Mr. William Hadeler at the Marathon Hotel, Wausau, after suffering with rheumatism without any benefit from physicians or various preparations, was cured by St. Jacob's Oil.—*Wis. Exchange.*

Now that the skating season has fairly begun, we renew our warnings to boys and girls not to venture upon ice unless fully satisfied that it is sufficiently strong to bear their weight. The number of deaths by drowning is already deplorably large this winter. Parents should keep an eye on their children and not permit them to skate in dangerous places.

Last Saturday night, Eckrote & Snyder's store in Mifflinville, was discovered to be on fire. An alarm was given, an entrance forced and the flames extinguished, but not until the stock was badly damaged. Investigation revealed the fact that coal oil had been scattered over the floor and goods. This is the second fire in Mifflinville within three weeks and the inhabitants of that town should bestir themselves and arrest the miscreants who have destroyed property and caused a feeling of insecurity in the community. Suspicion rests on certain persons and it is not improbable that convictions may follow.

Col. J. P. Sanford.

The second lecture of the course prepared by the Lecture Lyceum was delivered by Col. J. P. Sanford at the Opera House on Saturday evening. Notwithstanding the snow storm a fair audience was in attendance, and from the expressions of satisfaction uttered at the close of the lecture it was evident that it was a delighted audience. The subject was "Wanderings in Sunny Lands." The Colonel took his hearers across the desert, to the summit of the pyramids, through Egypt and Arabia, and spent some time in Rome. His description of what he saw in the Holy City was graphic and interesting, as was the entire discourse. Anecdotes and funny incidents were thrown in here and there, making the lecture amusing as well as instructive. There were no personal allusions, nothing that approached vulgarity, no nonsense, no silly grins, no stale jokes, and these are a few of the points wherein Col. Sanford differs from Eli Perkins. The former speaks from his personal knowledge and experience in a pleasant voice, well chosen language, dignified mien, giving expression to intelligent thought. One could listen to Sanford over and over again without wearying, but to hear Perkins once is quite sufficient. There are three more lectures in the course which will be announced in due time.

The Bar Feast.

Pursuant to the resolutions adopted at a meeting of the members of the Bar, a complimentary dinner was given to Judge I. K. Krickbaum on the occasion of his retirement from the bench, at the Exchange Hotel on the evening of Friday, December 30th. The lawyers and guests gathered in the parlors at seven o'clock, and at about half past seven the doors of the dining room were thrown open and dinner was announced. There were twenty-eight persons present. Judge Elwell sat at the head of the table, Judge Shuman at his left and Judge Krickbaum at his right. Judge Lake, the in-coming associate, ex-judges L. B. Rupert and M. G. Hughes were also present. We believe the only remaining ex-associate judge in the county is Iram Derr, and he was unable to be present. The tables groaned under their weight of good things. They were set in elegant style and at each plate was a handsomely printed bill of fare, containing a list of the articles prepared to appease the appetites of the hungry Judges and barristers. And this is what they had to eat.

MENU.

Maurice River cove oysters, half shell, Scotch broth, filet de bœuf aux macaroni, escalloped oysters, baked macaroni, saddle of venison currant jelly, palmed pheasant wine dressing, broiled quail on toast, turkey oyster sauce, rib of beef brown sauce, guinea fowl cranberry sauce, chicken stuffed, lobster, prime beef, ham, salmon, tongue, lobster salad, pressed corned beef, celery, Worcestershire sauce, Halford sauce, tomato catsup, French mustard, Queen's olives, horse radish, cold slaw, boiled and mashed potatoes, lima beans, sweet potatoes, French peas, succotash, corn, beets, plum pudding brandy sauce, apple pie, egg pudding wine sauce, peach pie, fruit cake, jelly cake, mince pie, chocolate cake, macaroons, cocoanut jumbles, vanilla ice cream, wine jelly, bananas, crab apple jelly, oranges, almonds, filberts, apples, Behesa raisins, cream nuts, English walnuts, crackers, cheese, coffee.

No wines were served on the table, by consent. A more delicious dinner was never prepared in Bloomsburg, in fact the large city hotels do not, on extra occasions, furnish their guests a better meal. It can't be done. To say that W. R. Tubbs, the popular proprietor of the Exchange, assisted by J. C. Fitzpatrick and Mrs. Tubbs, did themselves credit, is but feeble praise. The dinner was far beyond what anybody had any right to expect. After an hour or more spent in silent meditation, at least on the part of some, Col. J. G. Freeze, president of the Bar Association, called the company to a halt, we presume in the interests of the house, and announced the toasts of the evening, the first one being "The Bench," and called upon Judge Elwell to respond. The next toast was "The Bar," responded to by C. G. Barkley, Esq. On the subject of "Farming as a legal amusement," B. F. Zarr, Esq. enumerated the pleasures of that occupation, and succeeded in implanting in the breast of every attorney present, a desire to own a farm, just for the fun of the thing. Messrs. Robert Buckingham and C. C. Peacock, Esqrs., responded to the sentiment, "The retiring Associate," and in their kindly words of respect and esteem, they expressed the sentiments of every one present. Col. Freeze, on behalf of Judge Krickbaum, returned thanks for the honor shown him and for the uniform kindness that had always been extended to him while on the bench, and then the meeting adjourned to the parlor, where after pleasant intercourse for a time, they separated. A bar supper once a year would be a means of cultivating more sociability among the fraternity. Now they meet only in court and in the transaction of business representing opposing interests, which is calculated to drive away all better feelings than rivalry and harshness. The dinner table is a great cement that binds together broken friendships, and a salve that heals all wounds. Let us meet there, oftener.

The Dead Year.

EDITORS OF THE COLUMBIAN: Through the mercy of God I have been spared through another year, and as the year of 1881 has closed with all its cares and turmoils and strifes, as has been my custom for past years, I herewith transmit to you my annual report of the Borough of Bloomsburg. Many have been the stirring events of the year 1881. Beginning with the great earthquake which ran around the world at the beginning of the year, floods in various countries in Europe, tornadoes in the Northwest and fearful storms in the South, the appearance of two comets, and an exceptionally cold winter and an exceptionally hot summer, with its attendant drought, the assassination of the Czar of Russia and the murder of the President, forest fires in Michigan, hottest days of the year coming in September, accompanied by the extraordinary condition of the sky in New York and New England, called there the yellow day, not to mention the protracted drought; all go to prove the year of 1881, as one of the most extraordinary on record. All these incidents have come within the first nine months of the year. In the early part of the year, our town was visited by that loathsome disease, small pox, which culminated in the death of eight. The last death occurred on the 6th of October, and since that time no cases have occurred within the borough limits. There is a worse contagion infesting our town than the small pox, and that is intemperance. Young man there is one foe who will not face you. Should he do so, you would at once brace yourself to oppose, but will not. Yet he is on your track day and night tempting and trying to ensnare you in the meshes of appetite, and despoil you of all that is high, noble and manly. Yes, he would debase, stupify and brutalize you by drunkenness. Such is his aim, and to accomplish it he sitteth in the lurking places in the villages, his words sweeter than oil, yet they are drawn swords. Intemperance, oh, that I could dip my pen in the blood of its slaughtered millions, and portray it before you in its true character. It can not be done; the blue expanse of Heaven is too narrow to contain the picture. Eternity is too short for the work. At last it stingeth like a serpent and biteth like an adder. You exclaim, sir, I see no such foe, I am no drunkard. The little I drink involves no danger. Ah! drink a little, do you? There s your enemy clothed in the garb of friendship, his iron hand is gloved with silk, fair are his professions, his words are smoother than butter, but war is in his heart. You have but to go on as you have begun and your ruin is sure. Nonsense, you exclaim, I can stop drinking, just when I will. No doubt of it, but ah, how soon will come a sad reversal of that feeling. Now I can and won't, but if you go on, it will soon be, I would but can't. Much I could say on this subject, but this must suffice for the present on intemperance.

Thermometer for January, 1881, lowest point 4 degrees below zero, highest point 40 degrees above zero. A rainbow the morning of the 1st, occasioned by the sun's rays through the frost, while the thermometer was 4 degrees below zero. February, lowest point 2 degrees below zero, highest point 52 degrees above zero. Thermometer registered low the entire month. March, lowest point 20 degrees above zero, highest point 62 degrees above zero. On the whole it was cold and rough. April, lowest point 20 degrees above zero, highest point 86 degrees above zero. After a protracted winter of five months, the severest, longest and sickliest winter on record, the heaviest mortality in all our cities ever known by the oldest citizens. May, lowest point 36 degrees above zero, highest point 96 degrees above zero. June, lowest point 50 degrees above zero, highest point 84 degrees above zero. There were two frosts in this month. It resembled the month of June of 1816, for cold, through the entire month. July, lowest point 62 degrees above zero, highest point 96 degrees above zero. August, lowest point 58 degrees above zero, highest point 103 degrees above zero. For seventeen days the thermometer registered from 90 degrees to 103 degrees in the shade. September, lowest point 60 degrees above zero, highest point 104 degrees above zero. From the 6th day of September the thermometer registered for sixteen days, from 90 degrees to 104 degrees in the shade. On the 6th day of September, the thermometer registered for one hour, 104 degrees in the shade. October, lowest point 36 degrees above zero, highest point 94 degrees above. November, lowest point 20 degrees, highest point 69 degrees. December, lowest point 22 degrees, highest point 66 degrees. During the year there were clear days, 170, some of them partially so. There were cloudy days, 134, rainy days, 38, including nights, snowy days 23, including nights. Thunder showers 37, the first on the 10th of May, one on May 12, one on June 13, one on July 8, one on August 4. A good many showers but little rain fell. Whole depth of snow from January 1st, 1881 to January 1st, 1882, was 6 feet, 2½ inches.

The mortality within the borough limits of Bloomsburg during the year is as follows: From 80 to 90 years, 1; from 70 to 80 years, 7; from 60 to 70 years, 4; from 50 to 60 years, 4; from 40 to 50 years, 5; from 30 to 40 years, 11; from 20 to 30 years, 5; from 10 to 20 years, 5; from the cradled infant up to 10 years, 19, making in all, 61 deaths for the year, an increase of two over 1880.

Wishing you a happy new year, all this is respectfully submitted by your friend and well wisher in Christ.

JOHN SNYDER.

BLOOMSBURG, December 31st, 1881.

[About one-half the report of Mr. Snyder is omitted for want of space, being about matters that are of no special local interest. ED.]

The great superiority of DR. BULL'S COUGH SYRUP over all other cough remedies is attested by the immense popular demand for that old established remedy.

Dr. BULL'S COUGH SYRUP

For the Cure of Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Croup, Asthma, Bronchitis, Whooping Cough, Incipient Consumption and for the relief of consumptive persons in advanced stages of the Disease. For Sale by all Druggists.—Price, 25 cents.

Nov. 4, '81-6m

Deaths.

KRESSLER.—In Pine township, Columbia county, December 18, 1881, Anna Myrtie, daughter of Valentine and Martha J. Kressler, aged 3 years, 2 months and 13 days.

BECK.—In Centre township on the 19th of December, William Beck, aged 67 years, 11 months and 16 days.

Business Notices

If you owe anything at I. W. Hartman's, you will get a statement unless paid this week.

VEAL CALVES WANTED.—You will make money by taking your Veal Calves to Lilley & Sleppy at Light Street who will give you an outside quotation for goods.

Furs cheap at Lutz & Sloan's.

Best needles, oil, attachments, &c., for all sewing machines, at W. H. Yetter's office, corner Main and Market streets, opposite I. W. Hartman's store. nov. 18-tf

You ought to take a look at those new coats, ladies, at I. W. Hartman's.

Lutz & Sloan have about thirty coats and dolmans yet that they will sell cheap.

Cheaper and better Clothing can now be bought at
The old Popular Store of David Lowenberg.

This is to be a great year at I. W. Hartman's for goods and customers.

Great reduction in prices at the store of Lilley & Sleppy, at Lightstreet.

Cash paid for calves, chickens, turkeys, geese, ducks, dried fruit, butter and eggs, by Lilley & Sleppy, Lightstreet.

I. W. Hartman has enlarged his 5 cent counter and established a new 10 cent one. Go and see them.

The finest line of Ready-made Clothing in The County can now be seen at David Lowenberg's Clothing Store.

10 per cent off of ladies' coats at I. W. Hartman's.

The BICYCLE SHIRT can only be obtained at

David Lowenberg's.

4,000 pounds of nice pitted Cherries, 4,000 pounds of nice Dried Raspberries wanted by Silas Young at Light Street, for which he will pay the highest market price.

july 15 6-m.

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JOHN GIGER, DECEASED.

The undersigned Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to make distribution of the fund in the hands of the executor of John Giger deceased, to and among the parties entitled thereto, will sit at the office of E. R. Ikeler, Esq., in the Town of Bloomsburg on Saturday the 14th day of January, A. D., 1882, at two o'clock in the afternoon to perform the duties of his appointment, when and where all persons having any claims upon said fund will appear and prove the same or be debarred from receiving any share thereof.

dec 23 4-w WM. L. EYERLY,
Auditor.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JOHN BOSTON, DECEASED.

The undersigned Auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county on exceptions to the third and partial account of D. L. Chapin one of the administrators of John Boston, deceased, will sit at the office of Geo. E. Elwell in Bloomsburg on Saturday, January 21st, 1882, to perform the duties of his appointment, when and where all persons interested may attend if they see proper.

F. P. BILLMEYER
dec 23 4-w Auditor

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF MOSES EVERETT, DECEASED.

Letters of Administration on the estate of Moses Everett, late of Orange township, Columbia county, Penn'a., deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned Adm'r. d. b. n. All persons having claims against the estate of the decedent are requested to present them for settlement and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned Administrator without delay.

C. W. MILLER, Attorney. J. HOWARD KLINE, Administrator, d. b. n. P. O. Orangeville.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Centralia M. S. F. Association, vs. Sarah Haffey administratrix. } In the Court of Common Pleas of Columbia county No. 152 Sept., Term, 1878, Sheriff's sale. Money in Court.

Notice is hereby given that the auditor appointed in the above stated case to distribute the fund in court to and among the parties thereto entitled will attend at his office, at Bloomsburg, Thursday, January 12th, 1882, at 10 o'clock a. m., for that purpose, when and where all persons having claims upon said fund are requested to present them or be forever debarred from coming in on said fund.

JOHN M. CLARK,
dec 9 4-w Auditor.

ADMINISTRATORS NOTICE.

ESTATE OF WILLIAM DANIELS DECEASED.

Letters of administration on the estate of William Daniels, late of the town of Bloomsburg, Columbia county, deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned administrator. All persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are requested to present them for settlement and those indebted to make payment to the undersigned administrator without delay.

I. W. McKELVY,
Administrator,
Dec 9 6-w

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF MARTHA SHUMAN, DECEASED.

Letters of administration on the estate of Martha Shuman, late of Main twp, Columbia county, deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to the undersigned administrator. All persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are requested to present them for settlement and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned administrator without delay.

WM. K. SHUMAN,
Administrator.
P. O. address, Mainville, Col. Co., Pa.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF JACOB BOMBOY, DECEASED.

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to make distribution of the balance in the hands of Edward Hartman, executor of the estate of Jacob Bomboy, late of Scott township, deceased found by order of Court, made confirming the report of Auditor on exceptions to the account, to and among the parties entitled thereto, will sit at his office in Bloomsburg on Saturday, the 14th day of January, 1882, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to perform the duties of his appointment when and where all persons having claims against said estate will appear and prove the same or be forever debarred from receiving any part of the same.

dec. 16 '81-4w JOHN M. CLARK,
Auditor.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF ELIZABETH GABLE, DECEASED.

Letters of Administration on the estate of Elizabeth Gable, late of Catawissa township, Columbia county, Pennsylvania, deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to Franklin Gable, of Catawissa township, administrator. All persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned Administrator, without delay.

FRANKLIN GABLE,
Catawissa,
Dec 9 4-w Administrator.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF CATHARINE BRINK, DECEASED.

Letters testamentary on the estate of Catharine Brink, late of Benton township, Columbia county, deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to I. K. Krickbaum, Cambra, executor. All persons having claims against the estate of said decedent are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned executor, without delay.

I. K. KRICKBAUM,
Executor,
dec. 9-6w Cambra, Pa.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF LOUIS FOLK, DECEASED.

Letters of Administration on the estate of Louis Folk, late of Hemlock township, Columbia county, Penna, deceased, have been granted by the Register of said county to Percivel Folk and Joel Folk administrators. All persons having claims against the estate of the decedent are requested to present them for settlement, and those indebted to the estate to make payment to the undersigned administrators without delay.

C. W. Miller
Attorney.
dec 30 6-w

PERCIVEL FOLK,
JOEL FOLK,
Administrators.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

ESTATE OF DAVID DAVIS, DECEASED.

The undersigned auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, to make distribution of the balance as found in the hands of the administrators in last account of David Davis late of Beaver township deceased, to and among the parties legally entitled to receive the same will meet the parties interested in said estate at his office in the town of Bloomsburg, in said county, on Tuesday, the 24th day of January, 1882, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, when and where all parties interested in said estate must attend or be forever debarred from any share of said fund.

GUY JACOBY,
dec 30 4-w Auditor.

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The Application of Manure.

Although the question, how to apply manure, has been discussed pretty largely by the agricultural papers for many years past, it can never be put to rest so long as we, the readers, occupy such diversity of climate and soil. No rule will be found applicable in all localities, climates or soils, or by all individuals, as each farmer has an opinion and practice of his own. That circumstance may make it more profitable for a farmer to haul out his manure and spread it on the surface is undisputed; but that the manure loses nothing by such exposure is the veriest absurdity, in my experience and opinion. Yet often the question of expediency will warrant a slight loss in the value of the manure, rather than a larger expense for hauling in a more driving season. Manure spread on the soil in Autumn and Winter, to be covered with snow or kept wet with rains, loses very much less than if fully exposed to sun and wind, so that this mode of application, although applicable in the Northern States, would be entirely impracticable in the Southern States. So also dissimilar effects result at the North in different seasons. In my experience and limited observation, I have found that the sooner the manure is incorporated in the soil, the greater and better the effect on that soil, and the better the crops immediately following such application. Hence I have concluded that much of the value of barn manure may be lost, by being exposed to the sun, air and rains, and that spreading manure on the surface of land to be plowed, to remain long, unless in a rainy time or when the ground is covered with snow, is bad practice, as the sun and air will positively draw off its virtues, according to the length of time exposed. I also conclude that manure in a fine, composted, well decomposed state may be spread upon grass lands in early Spring, immediately after cutting the first crop, or in late Autumn, and very little of its virtues will evaporate or be lost, if the grass grows freely to shade it, when the season becomes warm, and that the best possible way of applying manure to cultivate lands, is to plow it in, or otherwise incorporate it into the first one or two inches of surface soil, and the finer the manure is made, and the more thoroughly mixed in the soil, the better the results.

Methods of Making Butter.

Numerous methods of butter making are in use. In Devonshire, England, a method somewhat peculiar has long been practiced. The milk is heated so as to produce clotted or "clouted" cream. The milk fresh from the cows is strained into shallow earthen pans, in each of which half a pint of water has previously been placed, to prevent the milk from adhering to the pan in the subsequent process of scalding. After twelve hours the pans are placed over the fire, care being taken not to disturb the cream, and heated until the milk attains a temperature of 180 degrees, and then allowed to stand the usual time. The scalding effects the separation of the whole of the cream from the milk, and greatly facilitates its conversion into butter. The cream is easily churned by stirring it. The butter made by this process is said by some persons to be altogether superior to that made without scalding, and to keep better, while others say that it contains an undue proportion of cheesy matter, and does not keep well. Scalding the milk as soon as drawn from the cow, is sometimes advantageously practiced in this country in the winter time to facilitate the churning of the butter. The butter thus made is of better quality than that made without scalding.

Fattening Animals.

The *Indiana Farmer*, referring to the matter of fattening animals, says, sheep fatten most rapidly at two to three years of age. By feeding rich fodder, one year old sheep will increase in weight more rapidly than when older, for the period of growth is not yet passed. Whilst they will fatten also at this age, the flesh is not esteemed as when older, as it is more watery. Lambs taken very young and fed high are fattened and made palatable. But when fattened for profit as well as palatable flesh, sheep as other animals should be matured in growth first. It is also true that after animals have become too old, neither profitable fattening nor the most palatable flesh can be secured with the best of food. Whether for economy in feeding, or choice meat, the best is attainable when the animal is well matured; neither before, nor much after that period.

Hay for Swine.

In the opinion of an exchange hay is very beneficial to swine. Swine need rough food as well as horses, cattle, or the human race. To prepare it you should have a cutting box or hay cutter, and the greener the better. Cut the hay as short as oats, or shorter, and mix with bran shorts or middlings and feed as other food. Hogs soon learn to like it, and if soaked in swill or other slop food it is highly relished by them. In winter use for the hogs the same hay you feed your horses and you will find that, while it saves bran or other food, it puts on flesh as rapidly as anything that can be given them. In summer the use of hay can be commenced as early as the grass will do to cut, and when run through the cutting box can be used to advantage by simply soaking in fresh water until it sours.

Hints to Poultry Eaters.—The reason that poultry killed at home, though young, is not as tender as that bought in the market, is that the former is not generally killed until wanted, and when eaten is still rigid with death, while that bought at the poulterer's has been killed hours—more often days. Poultry ought to be killed several days before eaten, dressed at once, and with a few pieces of charcoal in it, hung in a cool place. If poultry are kept from food and drink at least twelve hours before killing, the flesh will be juicy and the fat firm. If left three days without food or drink, though in good condition previously the flesh will be dry and tasteless, and the fat is soft. Never buy an undrawn fowl. The gas from the crop and intestines will taint the flesh, even though retained but a short time.

A Cure for Bloat.—William King, of East Marlborough, informs us that there is no reason why farmers should lose stock from bloat as it can readily be cured. His plan is to take a bunch of hay, moisten it sufficiently to allow of its being twisted into a rope, then completely saturate the middle of the hay rope with tar, draw it through the animal's mouth, and tie the ends of the rope back of her head. Relief he says will be gotten in ten minutes. This has been his experience with clover bloat, he having cured one of his cows last summer by this remedy. This is a simple remedy and it would be well for our readers to bear it in mind.—*West Chester Record.*

The official estimate of the victims at the burning of the Ring theatre in Vienna is now placed at 620.

The Toughest Story Yet.

It is evident that whiskey is either sold for medical or scientific purposes in Larned, or at least the following yarn implies that there is: A certain lady in this country last spring set a hen upon thirteen eggs. A few days afterward, looking into the nest, she was surprised to find the eggs missing and the hen gone, and in their stead a huge rattlesnake comfortably coiled up. Noticing the swelled condition of his snakeship, she procured a spade and pinned his head to the ground. Then, with a rake, the tail was drawn out and fastened down to prevent wriggling. A pen knife soon split the reptile from head to tail, and the eggs taken out. Being carefully washed they were placed under the same hen, and eventually every one hatched out and the chicks grew and thrived. We regret that a strict regard for truth compels us to say that the hen was not swallowed, nor were the chickens marked with a snake.

The Origin of the "Printer's Devil."

J. Theodore Bent, in *Fraser's Magazine*, gives the following version of the origin of the well known title of the youngest apprentice in a printing office, "printer's devil"—which will be an enlightenment to the general public, and in fact, to most of the printers, we imagine: "Aldus Manutius, the celebrated printer of Venice, (1490-1515), had a small black slave whom the superstitious belived to be an emissary of satan. To satisfy the curious, one day he said publicly in church, "I, Aldus Manutius, printer to the Holy Church, have this day made public exposure of the printer's devil; all who think he is not flesh and blood, come and pinch him." Hence, in Venice arose the somewhat curious *sobriquet* of the "printer's devil."

A Legal Permission.

A young attorney a day or two since having delivered himself of a speech in the Superior Court, asked the clerk if he could smoke in the room. "Yes," was the reply. A pipe was hauled out and the gentleman was busily engaged in building smoke columns in the air, when the Judge laid a $5 fine upon him. "I thought you said I could smoke here?" inquired he indignantly of the clerk as soon as he got his breath. "I did," was the reply, as that busy officer proceeded with his minutes, "didn't you smoke?"

An Astute Dog.—Agentleman, accompanied by a favorite dog, visited the studio of one of the Cincinnati artists the other day. There was a picture on the easel, and the dog began to bark furiously at it. "Nature may be relied upon after all," said the gentleman. "The best evidences of the faithfulness with which you have painted that dog in the background is the earnestness with which my dog barks at him." But that isn't a dog," said the artist, blushing, "it is a cow." The gentleman was nonplused for a moment, but he quickly replied, "Well, the dog's eyes are better than mine; he never did like cows."

Economy in Feeding.—All food beyond such amount that is properly digested and assimilated by the animal is a source of loss to the owner, and that in two ways: First, the food is lost; and second, the animal is not kept in the best condition for getting the most out of its feed—its stomach is overloaded and its digestive apparatus more or less deranged. Just inside the limits of assimilation is the point to have in view in feeding; in this way the animal will have a good appetite, and other things being equal, is sure to give the best returns for food consumed.

A youthful critic: Charlie Smallface is continually losing his memorandum book. We noticed it carefully hung up on the floor of his room this morning and opened it at the last entry, which was: "My father says, 'An honest man is the noblest work of God.' I saw the same remark in a newspaper. This proves the old man a plagiarist, and no plagiarist is an honest man. There is no "noblest work' in our family."

"The night had suddenly over clouded and became quite stormy. Being of a sentimental turn she accordingly took her seat at the piano and began to sing, "Into some lives the rain must fall." But he was entirely practical and clutching her arm said tenderly, "sing some thing else, darling; you know I didn't bring any umbrella."

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Baltimore, Md., April 29, 1881.

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A state out of debt.—The State Treasurer of Iowa reports the receipts for the two years ended Dec. 1 to have been $2,126,900.90, and the disbursements, $2,035,050.39, leaving a balance on hand of $91,850,51. The general warrants are at par, none are drawing interest, and funds are on hand to meet every legitimate demand against the State—a condition not attained since 1876.

A Vermont man recently went and paid for a $5 watch which he stole eighteen years ago. He stated that he wanted to free his mind as he had been in hell ever since he stole it. If it takes eighteen years of hell to make a Vermont man give up $5, there appears to be a basis for the belief that some Vermonters are penurious.—*Boston Post.*

This is a Diamond Pin. The Editor won it at a Church Fair. There were Ten Chances at Ten Cents a Chance. Took one Chance. The Pin is Worth seven hundred Dollars. Editors like Diamonds. Sometimes they Wear them in their Shirts, but Generally in their Minds.—*Denver Tribune.*

"What a rough fellow that Sniggins is!" petulantly exclaimed the Hopedale girl after a struggle with the aforesaid Sniggins at "Copenhagen." "He nearly smothered me!" "And did you kiss him for his smother?" asked the other miss, naively.

John V. L. Groesbeck. "Why do editors lie so badly?" John, you think it smart to ask that cruel question, but we will answer it, although such questions do not deserve an answer. Editors lie so badly because they are not used to it.—*Texas Siftings.*

Lord X., whose popularity was not excessive in a certain Scotish town, having refused an importunate beggar, she renewed her applications with "Now, me lord, if ye'd just give me one little sixpence, I could treat every friend ye have in the toon!"

Being pursued by a bull a Michigan man had presence of mind to discharge some tobacco juice in the animal's eyes and thereby escaped death. Don't let anybody make you believe that tobacco is unhealthy.—*Detroit Free Press.*

THE SUN.

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ORPHANS' COURT SALE
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In pursuance of an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, the undersigned administrator, cum testamento annexo, of Peter Appleman, late of Benton township, deceased, will expose to public sale, at the Exchange Hotel, Benton, on

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31st, 1881,

At one o'clock p. m.

All that portion of the following described TRACT OF LAND, in Benton township, Columbia county, lying on the west side of Fishingcreek, bounded as follows: On the north by lands of R. L. F. Colley, J. F. Chapin and A. Wilkinson, on the west by lands of Eli McHenry, John E. Appleman and Peter Laubach, on the south by lands of William Hulme and Margaret Diddine, and on the east by lands of Reuben H. Davis and Stott E. Colley, containing FIFTEEN ACRES, more or less, bottom land, all cleared.

Also, all that tract of land situate in Benton township, bounded on the west by lands of Rebecca Conner, on the north by lands of the heirs of Thomas Davis, deceased, and J. F. Chapin, on the south by lands of Ezekiel Cole, containing EIGHTEEN ACRES, more or less, unimproved land.

TERMS OF SALE.—Ten per cent of one-fourth of the purchase money shall be paid at the striking down of the property; the one-fourth less the ten per cent. at the confirmation absolute, and the remaining three-fourths in one year after confirmation nisi, with interest from that date.

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SATURDAY, JANUARY 21st, 1882

at ten o'clock in the forenoon the following described real estate situate in Conyngham township, Columbia county, Penna. Beginning at a stone in line of land belonging to the city of Philadelphia, and running thence along line of land of Jeremiah Lindenmuth, north seventy-seven degrees, east thirty-five perches to a stone, thence by the same north, one-half degree east seventy-seven perches to a stone, thence by land of the heirs of John Lindenmuth, south seventy-seven degrees west seventy-five perches to a stone and thence by land of the city of Philadelphia south twenty-nine degrees east eighty perches to the place of beginning. Containing

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ISAAC LINDENMUTH,
Administrator.

dec 30-ts

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The undersigned will expose at public Sale at Cherrington's Hotel, Locust township, Columbia county, Pa., on

FRIDAY, JANUARY 6th, 1882,

at 2 o'clock p. m., the following described valuable tract of timber land, located in said township, on the south side of the Little Mountain, bounded by lands in the warrantee names of Mary Ruston, Thomas Ruston, Thomas Billington, Adam Clayberger, John Lee, Samuel Lee, Philip Lavenberg, John Young and others, known in the warrantee name of John Everhard, and containing 380 ACRES and 104 perches and allowance.

Dealers in lumber, prop timber, bark, etc., are requested to examine said tract on or before the day of sale. References as to location, Peter Swank, Esq., and Daniel Morris, who will point out the lines on the forenoon of the day of sale, or before if called upon.

Also, will be exposed to sale, at the Red Tavern, on

SATURDAY, JANUARY 7th, 1882,

at ten o'clock a. m., the following lots in Montana City, viz:

First—Lots 3 and 4 Block "N" on Centre street, main road adjoining the school house, each 25 feet front and 140 feet in depth, known as the Yerkes lots.

Second—Lot 2, Block "I" on Centre street, opposite the Red Tavern, fenced and under cultivation, formerly known as the Peter Joyce lot, front 25 feet, depth 140 feet.

Taxes to date will be paid, and title warranted. Terms of Sales.—Cash one-half at striking down the property, the other half in six months thereafter.

Dec. 23-2w C. B. BROCKWAY.

Orphans' Court Sale
OF VALUABLE
Real Estate!

Pursuant to an order of the Orphans' Court of Columbia county, the undersigned Administrator of Samuel Rhone, late of Benton township, deceased, will expose to sale on the premises in said township on

Friday, January 13th, 1882,

At one o'clock, p. m.

the following described real estate of said decedent, in Benton township, bounded and described as follows:

On the north by land of Alfred Hantz, on the east by Thomas Bender and W. W. Hess, on the south by W. W. Hess, C. W. Myers and A. A. Oberholtzer and on the west by Daniel Karns, containing

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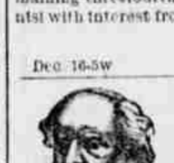
GEO. W. HIRLEMAN,
Administrator,
Benton, Pa

Dec 16-5w



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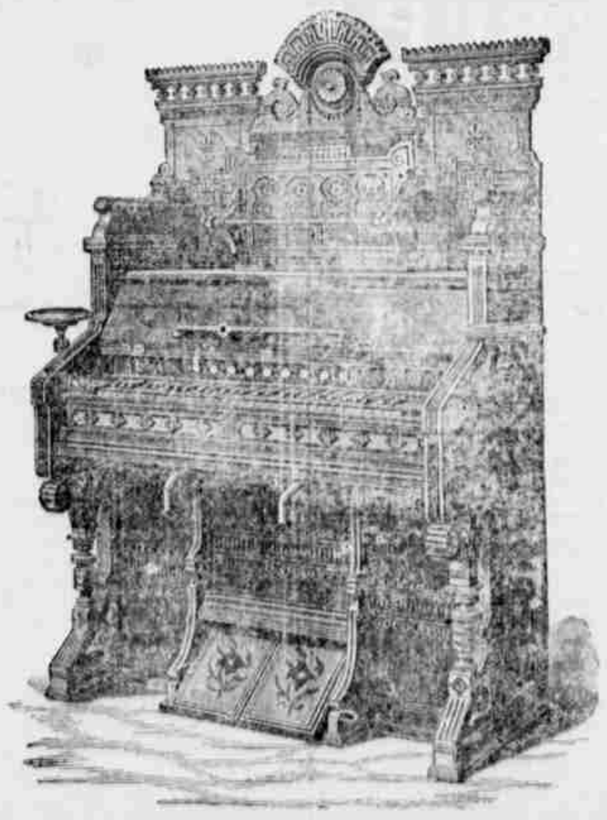

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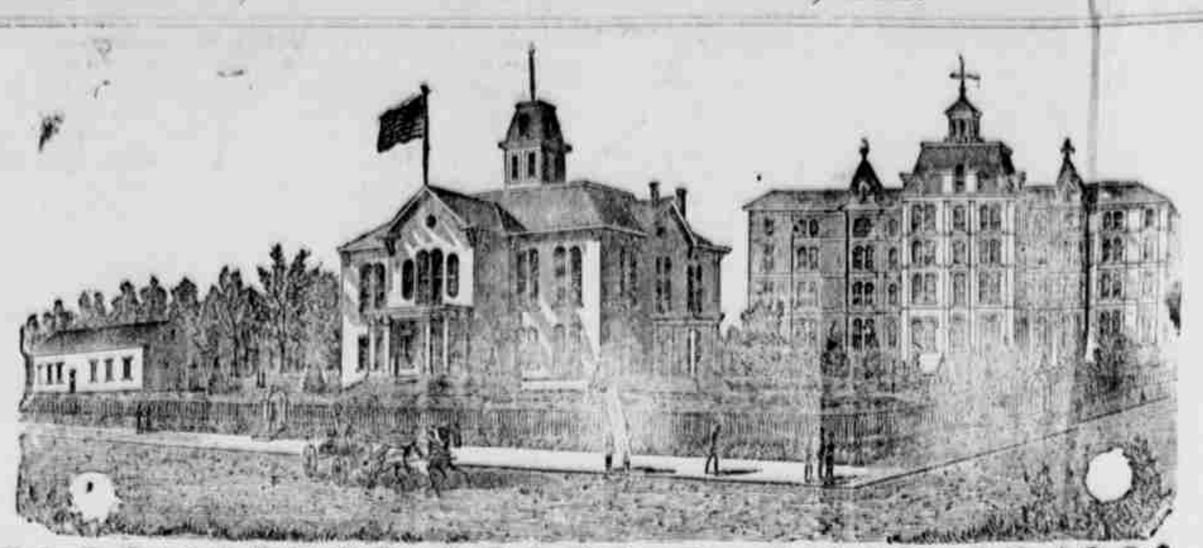

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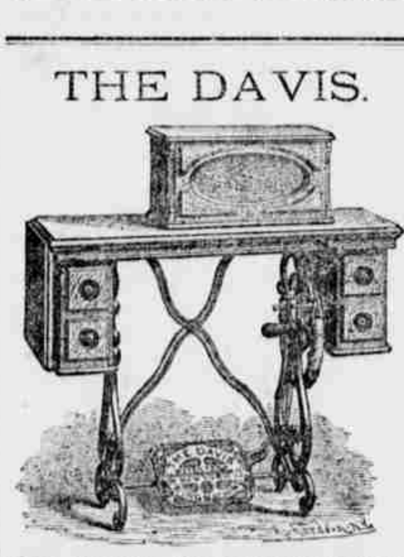

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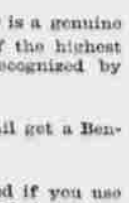

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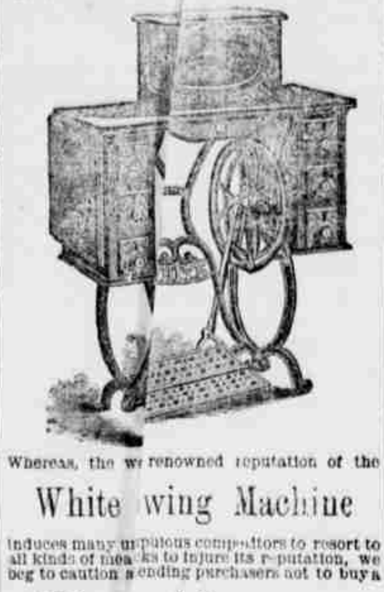

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RAIL ROAD TIME TABLE

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD. PHILADELPHIA & ERIE R. R. DIVISION.

WINTER TIME TABLE.

On and after Monday, Dec. 19, 1881, the trains on the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad Division will run as follows:

WESTWARD.

Erie Mail	leaves	Philadelphia	11 55 p m
"	"	Harrisburg	4 25 a m
"	"	Sunbury	6 35 a m
"	"	Williamsport	8 40 a m
"	"	Lock Haven	9 40 a m
"	"	Renovo	11 05 a m
"	"	Kane	3 50 p m
"	arrive at	Erie	7 45 p m
Niagara Express	leaves	Philadelphia	8 00 a m
"	"	Harrisburg	12 15 p m
"	"	Sunbury	1 50 p m
"	"	Williamsport	3 25 p m
"	"	Lock Haven	4 20 p m
"	"	Renovo	5 45 p m
"	"	Kane	10 15 p m
Fast Line	leaves	Philadelphia	11 20 p m
"	"	Harrisburg	3 05 p m
"	"	Sunbury	5 15 p m
"	"	Williamsport	7 10 p m
"	arrive at	Lock Haven	8 10 p m

EASTWARD.

Lock Haven Express	leaves	Lock Haven	7 30 a m
"	"	Williamsport	9 05 a m
"	"	Sunbury	10 30 a m
"	arrive at	Harrisburg	12 55 p m
"	"	Philadelphia	5 15 p m
Fast Line	leaves	Canandaigua	7 0[illegible] p m
"	"	Watkins	8 40 p m
"	"	Elmira	9 50 p m
"	"	Williamsport	12 15 a m
"	"	Sunbury	1 32 a m
"	arrives at	Harrisburg	3 15 a m
"	"	Philadelphia	7 00 a m
Day Express	leaves	Kane	6 00 a m
"	"	Renovo	10 05 a m
"	"	Lock Haven	11 15 a m
"	"	Williamsport	12 15 p m
"	arrive at	Harrisburg	3 50 p m
"	"	Philadelphia	7 05 p m
Erie Mail	leaves	Erie	11 35 a m
"	"	Kane	4 10 p m
"	"	Renovo	9 00 p m
"	"	Lock Haven	10 10 p m
"	"	Williamsport	11 30 p m
"	"	Sunbury	1 05 a m
"	arrives at	Harrisburg	3 00 a m
"	"	Philadelphia	7 00 a m

Erie Mail west and Lock Haven Express East make close connections at Northumberland with L. & B. R. R. trains for Wilkesbarre and Scranton.

Erie Mail West, Niagara Express West and Fast Line West make close connection at Williamsport with N. C. R. W. trains north.

Niagara Express West and Day Express East make close connection at Lock Haven with B. E. V. R. R. trains.

Erie Mail East and West connect at Erie with trains on L. S. & M. S. R. R.; at Corry with B. P. & W. R. R.; at Emporium with B. N. Y. & P. R. R. and at Driftwood with A. V. R. R.

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ROBERT NEILSON,
General Supt.

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On and after January 17th, 1881, trains will leave Sunbury as follows:

NORTHWARD.

Northern Express 6.30 a. m., arrive Elmira 12.30 p m
Arrive at Canandaigua 3.2[illegible] p. m.
" Rochester 4.40 "
" Niagara, 8 45 "
Niagara Express 1.05 p. m. arrive Elmira 6. 05 p. m.
arrive Canandaigua 8.3[illegible]
" Rochester 9 45 "
" Niagara 12.50 a m
Fast line 6.10 p m arrive Elmira 11.05 p m
" Watkins 11.55 p m

SOUTHWARD.

Southern Express 1.22 a. m. arrive Harrisb'g 3.15 a m
arrive Philadelphia 7.35 "
" New York 10.35 "
" Baltimore 7.10
" Washington 9.02 a m
Pacific Express 10.00 a m arrive Harrisb'g 12.15 p m
arrive Philadelphia 3.45 p m
" New York 6.35 "
" Baltimore 6.20
" Washington 7.52
Day Express 1.50 p m arrive Harrisburg 3.45 p m
" Philadelphia 6.45 "
" New York 9.30 "
" Baltimore 6.35
" Washington 7.52
Erie Mail 1.05 a. m. arrive Harrisburg 3.05 a. m.
" Philadelphia 7.35 "
" New York 10.35 "
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ARRANGEMENT OF PASSENGER TRAINS.

November 7th, 1881.

TRAINS LEAVE RUPERT AS FOLLOWS (SUNDAY EXCEPTED)

For New York, Philadelphia, Reading, Pottsville, Tamaqua, &c., 11,45 a. m

For Catawissa, 11,45 a. m. 6.45 and 7,30 p. m.

For Williamsport, 6,15 8,50 a. m. and 4,06 p. m.

TRAINS FOR RUPERT LEAVE AS FOLLOWS, (SUNDAY EXCEPTED.)

Leave New York, via. Tamanend 8.45 a. m. and via. Bound Brook Route 7,45 a. m.

Leave Philadelphia, 9,45 a. m.

Leave Reading, 11,55 a. m., Pottsville, 12,30 p. m. and Tamaqua, 1,35 p. m.

Leave Catawissa, 6,10 8,40 a. m. and 4,00 p. m.

Leave Williamsport, 9 45 a.m, 2,00 p. m. and 4,30 p. m.

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J. E. WOOTTEN,
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Jan. 10, 1881—tf.

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BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

Time-Table No. 8, Takes effect at 4:30 A. M. MONDAY, JUNE 10, 1878.

NORTH.			STATIONS.	SOUTH.		
p.m.	p.m.	a.m.		a.m.	p.m.	p.m.
9 50	3 42	9 25	Scranton	9 30	2 15	6 13
9 44			Bellevue		2 21	6 19
9 38	3 32	9 17	Taylorville	9 42	2 26	6 24
9 31	3 24	9 10	Lackawanna	9 50	2 34	6 32
9 23	3 15	9 14	Pittston	9 57	2 42	6 40
9 17	3 09	9 09	West Pittston	10 07	2 47	6 45
9 12	3 04	9 01	Wyoming	10 02	2 52	6 5[illegible]
			Maltby		2 54	6 54
			Bennett		2 59	6 58
9 10	2 53	8 54	Kingston	10 18	3 03	7 02
9 00	2 45	8 54	Kingston	10 18	3 04	7 10
	2 37		Plymouth June		3 08	7 17
8 51	2 30	8 46	Plymouth	10 36	3 13	7 22
	2 23		Avondale		3 18	[illegible]
8 42	2 16	8 38	Nanticoke	10 34	3 24	7 37
8 35	2 03	8 31	Hunlock's Creek	10 42	3 33	[illegible]
8 21	1 45	8 20	Shickshinny	10 55	3 50	8 21
8 08	1 38	8 11	Hick's Ferry	11 07	4 03	8 45
8 01	1 18	8 04	Beach Haven	11 15	4 17	9 00
7 55	1 05	7 58	Berwick	11 2[illegible]	4 18	9 10
7 48	12 53		Briar Creek		4 25	8 37
7 44	12 40	7 50	Willow Grove		4 29	8 41
7 40	12 36	7 46	Lime Ridge		4 33	8 45
7 32	12 24	7 39	Espy	11 39	4 42	8 54
7 26	12 12	7 33	Bloomsburg	11 45	4 49	9 0[illegible]
7 20	11 05	7 28	Rupert	11 5[illegible]	4 49	9 06
7 15	11 55	7 24	Catawissa Bridge	11 55	5 00	[illegible]
6 57	12 10	7 0[illegible]	Danville	12 18	5 18	9 31
	1 08		Chulasky		9 18	[illegible]
6 45	10 10		Cameron		5 30	9 41
6 31	9 4[illegible]	6 45	Northumberland	12 4[illegible]	5 42	9 55
p.m.	a.m.	a.m.		p.m.	a.m.	a.m.

W. F. HALSTEAD, Supt.
Superintendent's Office, Scranton, June 6, 1878.

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